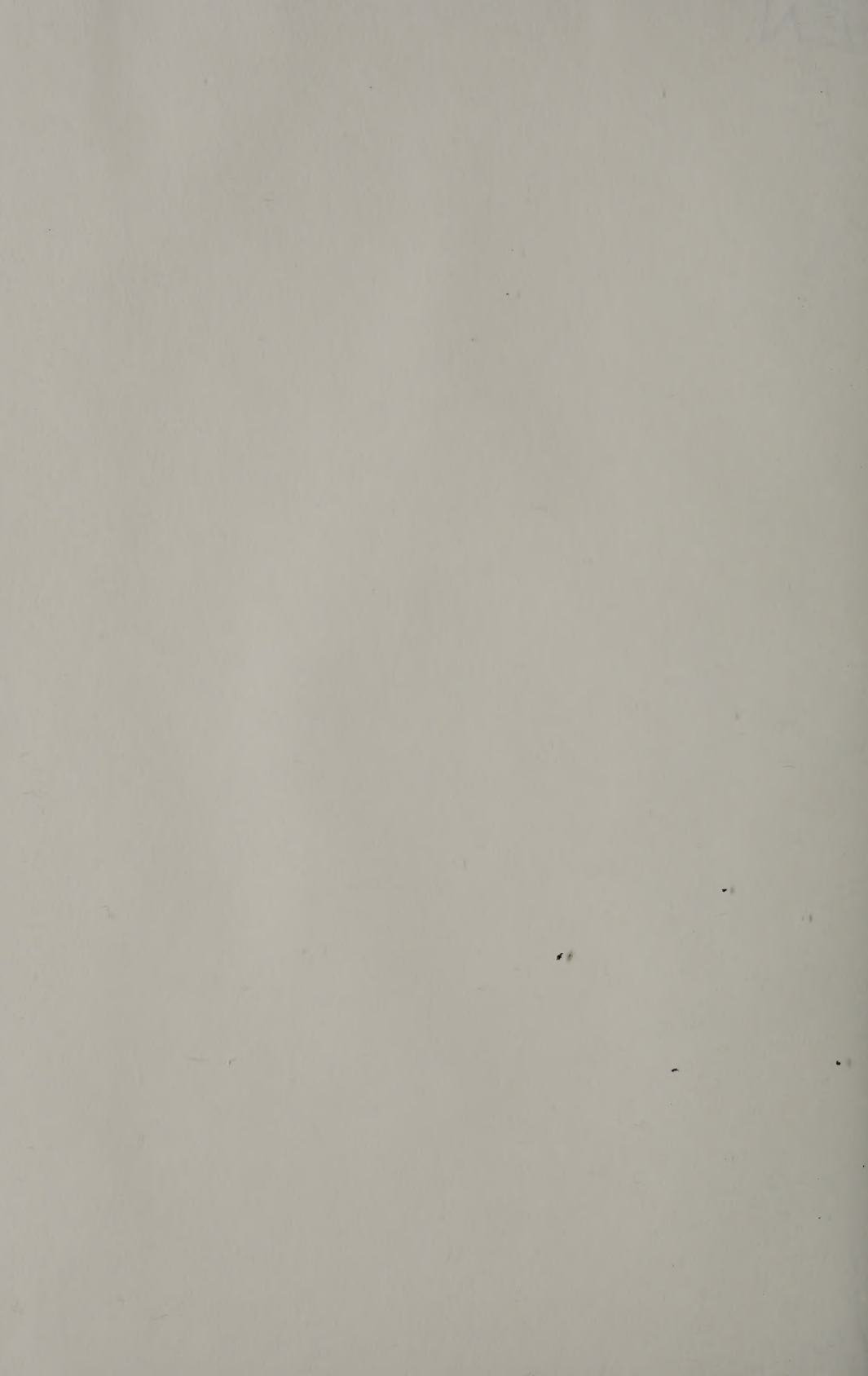


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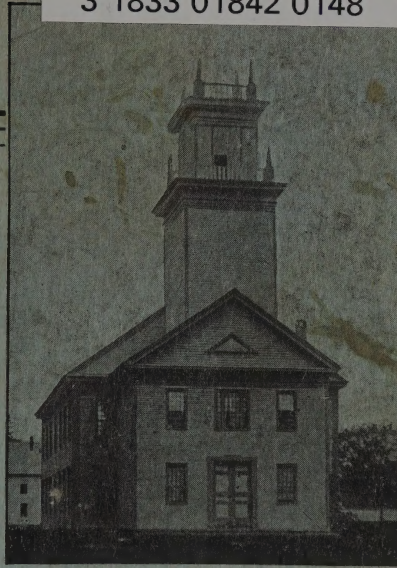
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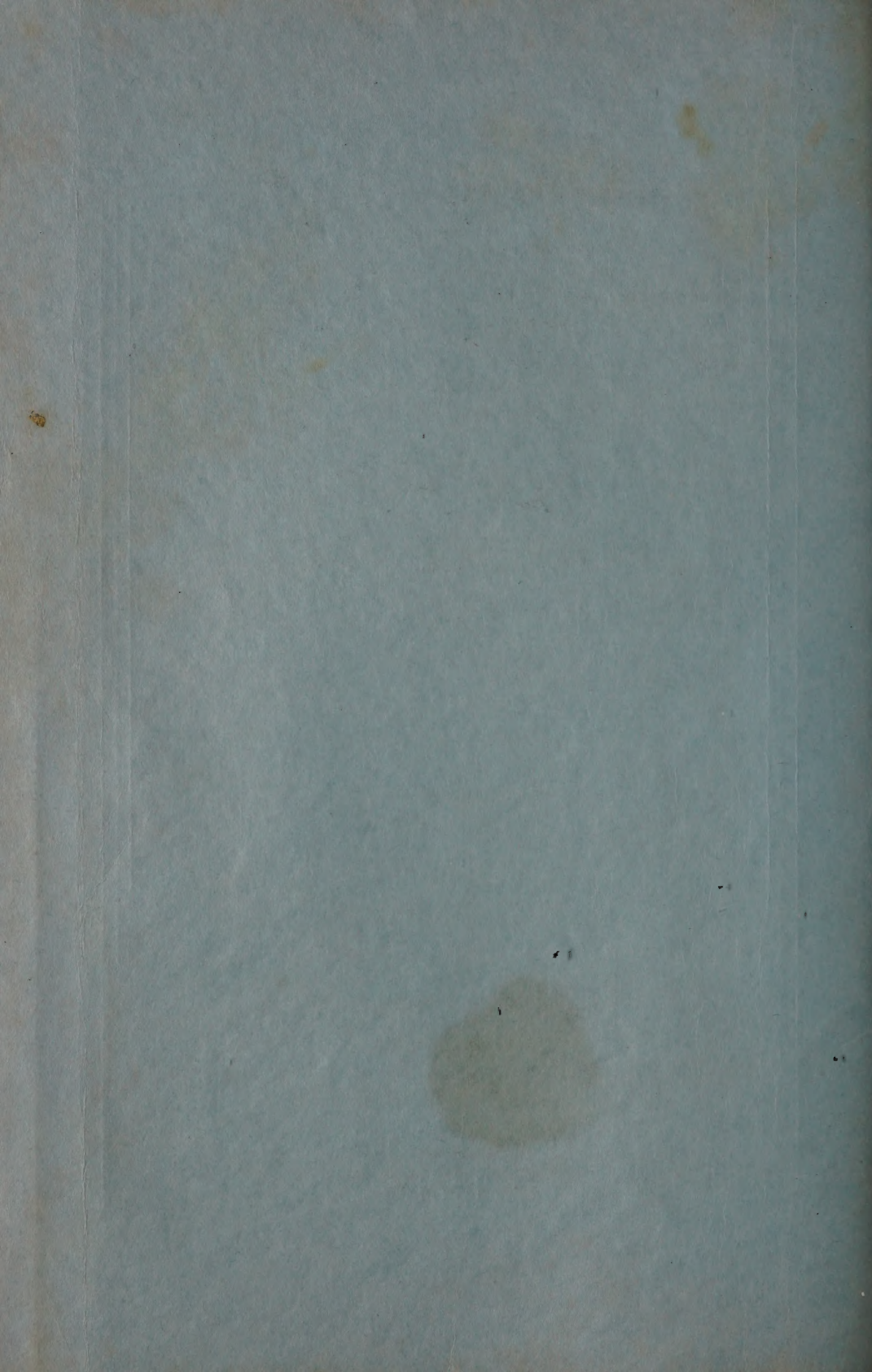
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Norridgewock Maine

Year Ending February 1st

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Annual Reports

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Municipal Officers

of the Town of

NORRIDGEWOCK

MAINE



Year Ending February 1st

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TOWN OFFICERS

Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor

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IRA N. KNOWLEN

ARTHUR J. ROBINSON

Town Manager

BERNAL B. ALLEN

Town Clerk

HELENA B. AMES

Treasurer

GEORGE O. CARR

Fire Chief

WALLACE SHEAFF

Health Officer

WILLIAM G. SOULE

Road Commissioner

BERNAL B. ALLEN

Collector

BERNAL B. ALLEN

Auditors

FRANK I. AMES

STATE DEPT. OF AUDIT

School Committee

CLAYTON ALBEE

ELSIE D. STANLEY

MARJORIE WILDER

Superintendent of Schools

KERMIT S. NICKERSON

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Letter of Transmittal

To the Board of Selectmen and Citizens of Norridgewock:

A careful study of the comparative financial statement, as contained herein will most certainly give a clear picture of the Town's financial progress during the past fiscal year. The actual reduction in liabilities amounts to \$44,343.12.

In improving the Town's financial condition, it is felt nothing has been sacrificed in the way of services and improvements. Under the various headings in the report you can readily see what has been accomplished and although all plans for road improvements were not carried out last year, it is hoped they can be this spring before starting on our regular construction work.

This annual report, as will be noted, is quite a change from former reports. This is due mostly to the new bookkeeping system which was installed at the beginning of the municipal year of 1940. As almost everyone knows, this system and the annual audit is now required by law. I might add here that every dollar that has been spent is properly itemized and kept on file at the Town Office. If there is any account or part thereof that any voter of the town would like to know more about, please feel free to come to the Town Office at any time and any information that is desired in regard to town affairs will be explained to the best of my knowledge.

Splendid cooperation has been received from the Selectmen, the School Board and Superintendent, the Citizens and all Town employees. This has been greatly appreciated and it is my earnest hope that the manner in which I have performed my duties have in whole or part met with your approval.

Respectfully submitted,

BERNAL B. ALLEN,

Town Manager

SUMMARY OF OVERDRAFT AND UNEXPENDED BALANCES

	Over- draft	Unex- pended
Excise tax		\$1,539.38
General expense		1,406.60
Fire department		420.29
Street lights		11.46
Summer roads		26.43
Winter roads		516.98
Town poor		2,243.88
Library		60.94
Cemetaries		17.93
Monument Square		11.00
Interest		1,500.85
Abatements	\$ 46.85	
Town officers	9.51	
Plowing State highway	531.20	
State Aid maintenance	161.40	
Cutting bushes	309.94	
Aid dependent children	120.00	
Committed children	62.99	
Net unexpended balance to net debt	6,513.85	
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	\$7,755.74	\$7,755.74

TOWN OF NORRIDGEWOCK
COMPARATIVE FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Assets		Feb. 20, 1940	Feb. 1, 1941
Cash		\$ 301.64	\$4,022.38
Taxes, 1940			72.03
1939	10,114.45		103.43
1938	1,381.92		558.20
1937	426.97		108.86
1936	180.89		37.18
1935	277.68		66.30
1934	675.44		238.09
Tax Liens, 1940			6,782.79
1939			3,014.19
1938	3,333.07		
1937	1,435.72		
1936	892.75		
1935	249.19		
1934	26.80		
Town owned property	1,419.47		2,664.19
Accounts Receivable	9,082.15		
State, Poor			195.16
Snow			1,074.31
Bounty			1.75
Town of Merrill			26.00
R. E. Everett			40.00
Third Class Maintenance			248.91
Cemetery Trust Funds on Deposit	1,795.04		1,573.34
Mary Sawtelle Williams Fund, Library	174.64		174.64
Library Bonds, Capt. Hall	500.00		
Cemetery Bonds, Town	6,250.00		
Net Debt	51,313.59		24,486.54
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		\$89,831.41	\$45,488.29

Liabilities

	Feb. 20, 1940	Feb. 1, 1941
Treasurers cash reserve	\$ 334.33	\$
Cemetery bonds, town	6,250.00	
Library bonds, town	500.00	
Cemetery trust funds on deposit	1,795.04	1,573.34
Library funds on deposit	174.64	174.64
Library funds	825.36	
Cemetery bonds and library bonds re- funding	6,750.00	
School bonds	10,000.00	
Appropriation to reduce town bonds	800.00	
School department	43.54	
Notes payable, bank	37,378.77	
Notes payable, personal	3,000.00	
Accounts payable	12,853.86	
Third class maintenance	60.64	
State tax, 1938	917.02	
State tax, 1939	2,813.40	
State aid maintenance	643.14	
Old age assistance	401.27	480.95
Dog tax 1939	217.00	
Committed children	72.70	
Institutional care	152.57	
Accrued interest, Augusta Trust Co.	3,723.13	
Accrued interest, State tax, 1938	125.00	
Refunding bonds		33,000.00
Temporary loans		9,875.36
Unexpended school account		46.44
Unexpended special school account		4.16
Unexpended Town Manager account		333.40
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	\$89,831.41	\$45,488.29

Note: Reduction of liabilities during 1940..\$44,343.12
Reduction of net debt during 1940\$26,827.05

IMPORTANT

All taxpayers should read the following requirement and comply with it:

Section 7, Chapter 13, Revised Statutes of Maine, 1930:

"Before making an assessment, the assessors shall give seasonable notice in writing to the Inhabitants, by posting notifications in some public place in the Town, or shall notify them, in such other ways as the Town, at its Annual Meeting directs, to make and bring in to them true and perfect lists of their Polls, and all their estates, real and personal, not by law exempt from taxation, of which they were possessed on the first day of April of the same year. If any resident owner, after such notice, does not bring in such lists, he is thereby barred of his right to make application to the Assessors or the County Commissioners for any abatement of his taxes, unless he offers such list with his application and satisfies them that he was unable to offer it at the time appointed."

The Selectmen will be in session at the Town Office, Norridgewock, on the first day of April, 1941, from 9 o'clock A. M. to 5 o'clock P. M.

Report of Audit
TOWN OF NORRIDGEWOCK
As of May 16, 1940

State of Maine
STATE DEPARTMENT OF AUDIT
Division of Municipal Accounts
Augusta

June 10, 1940

B. B. Allen, Town Manager
Norridgewock, Maine

Dear Sir:

Attached hereto you will find the journal entries found necessary to correct the Balance Sheet, and the Balance Sheet as left by the Maine Audit Company with adjustments and corrected Balance Sheet made by Mr. Shute.

Respectfully submitted,

STATE DEPARTMENT OF AUDIT

Harold E. Crawford,
Municipal Auditor

Town of Norridgewock BALANCE SHEET ADJUSTED MAY 16, 1940 as of February 20, 1940

	Balance Sheet — 2-20-40		Adjustments		Balance Sheet Adjusted	
	Assets	Liabilities	Debit	Credit	Assets	Liabilities
Cash	\$ 301.64				\$ 301.64	\$ 334.33
Treasurer's Cash Reserve	10,114.45				10,114.45	
Taxes—1939	5,750.24			\$ 4,368.32	1,381.92	
1938	2,680.64			2,253.67	426.97	
1937	3,086.02			2,905.13	180.89	
1936	1,502.69			1,225.01	277.68	
1935	2,238.87			1,563.43	675.44	
1934					3,333.07	
Tax Liens — 1938			\$3,333.07		1,435.72	
1937			1,435.72		892.75	
1936			892.75		249.19	
1935			249.19		26.80	
1934			26.80		9,082.15	
Accounts Receivable	12,531.33		715.38	4,164.56	500.00	
Library Bonds — Hall	500.00					500.00
Library Bonds		500.00				
Cemetery Bonds — Town	6,250.00				6,250.00	
Cemetery Bonds — Town		6,250.00				6,250.00

Town Owned Property	975.00			1,419.47	
Cemetery Trust Funds	1,734.51	444.47		1,795.04	
Cemetery Trust Funds — Reserve		60.53	60.53		1,795.04
Library Trust Funds	541.20		366.56	174.64	
Library Trust Funds — Reserve					174.64
Library Trust Funds — Town			825.36		825.36
Refunding Bonds — To cover Library and Cemetery Trust Funds			6,750.00		6,750.00
School Bonds	10,000.00				10,000.00
Appropriation to reduce Town Bonds	800.00				800.00
School Department	6.03		49.57		43.54
Notes Payable — Bank	37,378.77				37,378.77
Notes Payable — Personal	3,000.00		560.70		3,000.00
Accounts Payable	12,293.16		60.64		12,853.86
Third Class Maintenance					60.64
State Tax — 1938	917.02				917.02
1939	2,813.40				2,813.40
Patrol	200.88	560.70	442.26		643.14
Old Age Assistance	961.97				401.27
Dog Tax					217.00
NET DEBT	29,512.62	22,960.82	1,159.85	51,313.59	
Committed Children			72.70		72.70
Institutional Care			152.57		152.57
Accrued Interest — Augusta Trust Co.			3,723.13		3,723.13
Accrued Interest — State Tax — 1938			125.00		125.00
	<u>\$77,725.24</u>	<u>\$31,045.99</u>	<u>\$31,045.99</u>	<u>\$89,831.41</u>	<u>\$89,831.41</u>

Selectmen's Report

TOWN APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1940

Town officers	\$ 432.00
Town manager	2,000.00
Town expense	1,300.00
Fire department	1,000.00
Street lights	600.00
School nurse	118.00
Summer roads	1,500.00
Winter roads	2,000.00
Third class maintenance	1,074.00
State aid maintenance	930.00
State aid construction	799.50
Town poor	3,500.00
Schools	12,000.00
Library	300.00
Cemetaries	100.00
Monument Square	15.00
Memorial Day	25.00
Interest	2,822.00
Debt reduction	11,286.80
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Total town tax	\$41,802.30
State tax	5,385.27
County tax	1,246.83
Overlay	1,898.33
School district tax	1,292.50
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Total taxes assessed	\$51,625.23

VALUATION AND ASSESSMENT 1940

	Resident	Non-Resident	Total
Real estate	\$442,550.00	\$153,910.00	\$596,460.00
Personal estate	52,617.00	6,290.00	58,907.00
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Totals	\$495,167.00	\$160,200.00	\$655,367.00
Value of land		\$258,095.00	
Value of buildings		338,365.00	
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			\$596,460.00

TAXABLE LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY

Horses	150	\$11,310.00	
Colts, 3 to 4 years old	1	100.00	
Colts, 2 to 3 years old	3	200.00	
Colts, under 2 years	1	25.00	
Cows	692	17,645.00	
Oxen	20	595.00	
Three year olds	106	2,330.00	
Two year olds	281	4,770.00	
Sheep (over 35 in number)	83	332.00	
Poultry (over 50 in number)	3983	2,054.00	
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			\$39,361.00

OTHER PERSONAL PROPERTY

Stock in trade		\$15,801.00	
Boats	4	35.00	
Gasoline pumps	15	1,575.00	
Musical instruments	1	50.00	
Radios	202	2,085.00	
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		\$19,546.00	
Taxable livestock		39,361.00	
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			\$58,907.00

EXCEMPT LIVESTOCK

Colts	2	\$ 150.00	
Yearlings	348	5,000.00	
Sheep (to 35 in number)	68	282.00	
Swine (to 10 in number)	107	731.00	
Poultry (to 50 in number)	2115	1,038.00	
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			\$7,201.00

COMMITMENT

Valuation x rate—\$655,367.00 x .077	\$50,464.23	
387 polls at 3.00	1,161.00	
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Total Commitment	\$51,625.23	
Supplemental taxes	1,696.31	
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Total charge to collector		\$53,321.54

COLLECTOR'S REPORT

1940

Cash paid to treasurer	\$44,825.17
Tax liens	6,931.79
Tax discounts	493.30
Abatements	999.25
Uncollected taxes	72.03
	<hr/> \$53,321.54

EXCISE

Paid to treasurer (1940)	1,032.38
Paid to treasurer (1941)	507.00
	<hr/> \$ 1,539.38

UNCOLLECTED TAXES

1940

Spauldings Drug Store	\$ 72.03
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TAX LIENS

1940

James T. Abbott	\$ 43.14
Lewis Adams	76.23
Maurice Adams	170.67
Martha Adams	67.38
Olive Bigelow	67.76
Amos Buzzell	30.80
Clifton Buzzell	24.64
Heirs of Onesime Buotte	11.55
Florence Bird	107.11
Etta Crosby	73.15
William Clayton	92.40
Lillian Desmond	126.58
Bertha Dickinson	120.22

George Dickinson	127.05
Lyman Dunlap	123.20
Depot Street Service Station	88.55
E. P. Emmons	75.40
Guy Emmons	38.00
A. B. Everett	164.91
Everett and Tobey	8.47
Roland Everett	29.18
Hattie Fentiman	134.58
Atwood Frederick	55.51
Charles Garland	34.12
Perley Goodwin	87.64
Clifford Grant	126.28
Isiah Green	9.63
Joshua Hilton	57.15
Maurice Hilton	78.96
Ralph Hilton	173.60
Meritt Holt	13.86
Arthur Hooper	31.57
Elmer Hight	67.20
Carl P. Jones	16.68
Walter Jones	188.51
Lindley Lambert	254.10
Byron and John Lloyd	177.10
Dan and Cassie McLaughlin	85.55
Frank McGee	115.50
Cora Miner	83.47
Ervin Morrill	83.55
George Murray	42.35
Milo Newsome	91.39
Donald Otis	30.80
Lee P. Owens	97.30
Olive and George Owens	156.70
Louis Philbrick	92.40
Wilfred Pouliott	41.30
Walter Perkins	14.58
Percy and Ina Quimby	51.72
Lilla Rogers	92.02
Earl S. Rowe	189.82
Billy Sargent	59.68
Warren and Flora Seekins	118.58
Bliss Shaw	140.91
George Sheaff	5.20
George F. and Carolyn Smith	45.17
Earl Shepard	31.97

Jean B. Smith	99.25
Robert Smith	38.55
Earl W. Stevens	115.50
Lyle R. Taylor	50.82
Frank Turcotte	87.83
Crowell Wade	16.56
Russell Walker	30.80
Carl Wiggin	23.49
Ostie Wilder	75.85
Heirs of Joseph Beauford	12.71
Fred Belle and William Kenney	38.50
Beulah Cowette	110.88
T. E. Christopher	152.46
F. E. Cooper	42.35
Heirs of Alice Douglas	10.78
W. G. Everett	19.25
Federal Land Bank	50.40
Federal Land Bank	115.50
Susie Lewis	42.35
Marshall Micue	55.83
Harry Ricker	4.24
Rebecca Sweeten	110.11
Verna Viola Sidell	16.94
L. G. Trafton	16.94
Clayton Tompkins	32.34
Mrs. C. Vallier	16.94
Herbert York	95.48
Martha Jane Adams	8.47
Lewis Mitchell	11.55
Joseph Sylvia	18.70
Earl Waye	23.10
A. P. Lombard Heirs	30.80
Mattie Perkins	64.68
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	\$6,782.79

ABATEMENTS

1940

Milford Tibbetts, old age	3.00
Thornton Adams, error in assessment	9.62
M. C. R. R. Company, error in assessment	30.80
Arthur Welch, error in assessment	54.90
Heirs of E. G. Crocker, error in assessment	26.56

Harry J. McLaughlin, error in assessment	19.17
Selden Adams, disabled veteran	3.00
Ed. Bates, old age	3.00
Charles Condon, error in assessment	1.93
Soloman Crowe, old age	3.00
Wilfred Dickinson, old age	3.00
Oscar Lockwood, old age	3.00
Olive and George Owens, error in assessment	12.70
Edwin H. Clark, error in assessment	16.94
Federal Land Bank, error in assessment ..	38.50
Edith Morse, error in assessment	138.60
Marion Sheffield, error in assessment	7.70
Ralph Taylor, error in assessment	23.10
Charles Watson, error in assessment	119.35
Heirs of H. S. Withee, error in assessment	170.54
Lindley Lambert, error in assessment	15.40
Walter Frederick, error in assessment ..	45.00
Lewis Caswell, error in assessment	64.68
Carl Baird, error in assessment	1.54
Charles Barney, paid in Fairfield	3.00
Walter Brown, over seventy	3.00
Fred Chapman, over seventy	3.00
Maurice Corson, paid in Skowhegan	3.00
Reginald Dow, unknown	3.00
Charles Devoll, over seventy	3.00
Elmer Dunn, over seventy	3.00
Urban Emery, disabled veteran	3.00
Fred Gibbs, deceased	3.00
James Huntoon, deceased	3.00
Lewis Laney, error	50.00
Lloyd Libby, error .....	.77
Ernest Laney, error	30.80
Frank Moore, over seventy	3.00
Harry Smith, paid in Skowhegan	3.00
Bliss Shaw, paid in Skowhegan	3.00
Orin C. Taylor, deceased	3.00
Charles Woodcock, sick	3.77
A. E. Moore, error	3.08
A. C. Bigelow, over seventy	3.00
Fred Sanborn, paid in Gorham	3.00
Gertrude Smith, error	1.92
Wesley Watson, error	34.65
Max Winnegar, error	11.23

 999.25

COLLECTION OF TAX LIENS

Year	Balance Feb. 20, 1940	Collected	Balance
1934	\$ 26.80	\$ 26.80	
1935	249.19	249.19	
1936	1,036.80	1,036.80	
1937	1,506.72	1,506.72	
1938	3,427.07	3,427.07	
1939	6,109.48	3,095.29	\$3,014.19
Totals	\$12,356.06	\$9,341.87	\$3,014.19

COLLECTION OF BACK TAXES

Year	Balance Feb. 20, 1940	Collected	Balance
1934	\$ 675.44	\$ 437.35	\$ 238.09
1935	277.68	211.38	66.30
1936	180.89	143.71	37.18
1937	426.97	318.11	108.86
1938	1,425.21	867.01	558.20
1939	4,289.90	4,186.47	103.43
Totals	\$ 7,276.09	\$6,164.03	\$1,112.06

UNCOLLECTED TAXES

	1939	1938	1937	1936	1935	1934
Lewis Adams	\$ 9.42					\$ 12.06
Floyd Baker	1.70					
Clarence Boone .	.68			\$ 4.34		
Yvonne Buotte ..	27.42					
L. Chounard	3.00					
Maurice Forsythe	3.04					
Leroy Brant	3.00					
Ruth Holmes ...	.34					
Lloyd Libby			\$23.91	21.43		

	1939	1938	1937	1936	1935	1934
Glen Nickerson .		\$ 15.05				21.17
George and Olive Owens	17.00					
Donald Otis .....	.36					
Gilbert A. Ryer .	29.58	36.30	17.52			13.72
Billy Sargent ...	1.90					
Ostie Wilder	5.99	6.16				
Paid after books closed		10.91				
Millard Devoll ..		4.67	4.42			
Lyman Dunlap ..		11.44				
Wilhelm Freder- ick		39.96				
Oscar Libby		3.33	1.93			
Linwood Patten .		3.00				
Warren Seekins .		19.98				5.68
H. A. and R. F. Yeaton		171.29				
Beulah Cowette ..		10.99				
Etta Crosby		10.99				
Devises of Walter Green		39.96				
Frank Miner		56.31				
Ora Mitchell		2.00	1.77			
Robert Smith		8.90				
Clayton Tompkins		27.97				
George W. Tuttle		10.08				
Russell Walker .		1.31	30.89	3.10		
Herbert York ...		66.31				
Harley Dunlap ..			3.00			
Roscoe Hatto			3.00			
Harry Lane			2.00			
Howard Thurston			9.59			
Carl Miller and William Jenson			7.10			
Earl Shepard ...			3.73			
Dorrian Peterson				3.00		
Heirs of F. W. Spaulding				5.31		70.50
Origene Abbey ..					33.55	
Ervin Morrill ...					5.75	9.34
Roland Everett ..					27.00	37.68
Fred Ellis						3.00

	1939	1938	1937	1936	1935	1934
William Libby ..						12.72
Cony Loring						3.00
Arthur Stoodley .						5.68
John Wedge						3.00
Edward Weston .						3.00
Arthur Frederick (R. E. Everett).						30.84
Albert Jepson ...						6.70
Charles Sidell ..		1.29				
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	\$103.43	\$558.20	\$108.86	\$37.18	\$66.30	\$238.09

TAX LEINS

1939

Lewis Adams	\$ 67.32
Maurice Adams	68.16
Joseph Beauford	9.22
Fred Bell and William Kenney	20.40
Fred Bell and William Kenney	13.60
Amos Buzzell	11.09
Clarence Buzzell	27.20
Clifton Buzzell	21.76
T. E. Christopher	110.45
Elmer Clark	12.10
William Clayton	81.60
Beulah Cowette	30.60
Etta Crosby	54.45
Etta Crosby	13.60
Etta Crosby	3.40
Lillian Desmond	8.08
Alice Douglas	9.52
Lyman Dunlap	119.68
E. P. Emmons	37.40
E. P. Emmons	21.95
A. B. Everett	22.44
A. B. Everett	73.68
A. B. Everett	7.48
Federal Land Bank	74.80
Federal Land Bank	27.20

Federal Land Bank	6.80
Linwood Frederick	35.53
Charles Garland	37.40
James Goodrich	30.44
Isiah Green	13.55
Devises of Walter Green	40.80
Ralph Hilton	126.52
Arthur Hooper	24.48
Arthur Hooper	3.40
Walter Jones	44.05
Walter Jones	89.76
Walter Jones	67.32
Walter Jones	14.91
Kennebec Valley Fur Co.	20.40
Lindley Lambert	168.30
Lindley Lambert	5.70
William D. and Susie Lewis	37.40
Dan McLaughlin	15.79
Marshall Micue	49.30
Frank Miner	74.80
Ora Mitchell	2.04
Frank McGee	102.00
Ervin Morrill	40.12
Ervin Morrill	33.66
George Murray	37.40
Noble and Sheaff	78.20
Donald Otis	25.67
Louis Philbrick	59.50
Louis Philbrick	22.44
Percy and Ina Quimby	31.76
Cecil Rogers	69.36
Cecil Rogers	11.90
Merle Seekins	9.52
Warren Seekins	104.72
Skowhegan Savings Bank	35.36
George F. and Carolyn Smith	15.45
William Soule	74.80
Earl W. Stevens	102.00
Lyle R. Taylor	5.83
Clayton Tompkins	14.96
Clayton Tompkins	13.60
L. G. Trafton	13.16
Colby Tuttle	1.70
Mrs. C. Vallier	14.96
Crowell Wade	7.82

Crowell Wade	6.80	
Russell Walker	5.10	
Russell Walker	22.10	
E. E. Wilder	59.84	
Ostie Wilder	66.98	
Herbert York	37.40	
Herbert York	17.00	
Herbert York	14.96	
Herbert York	2.25	
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		\$3,014.19

ABATEMENTS

1939

B. B. Yeaton, error in assessment	\$	4.81	
George Dickinson, error in assessment		2.26	
Orville D. Hall, poor		4.70	
David Murray, poor		1.00	
Clifton McDonald, unknown		3.00	
Clair Tompkins, error in assessment		28.56	
Skowhegan Savings Bank, error in assessment		32.64	
Edwin H. Clark, error in assessment		14.96	
Joseph Beauford, error in assessment		24.78	
Philip Obert, veteran		3.00	
George Murray, error in assessment		3.00	
Carl Miller, error in assessment .....		.68	
Ralph Miller, error in assessment		1.70	
Peter Arsenaault, error in assessment		3.00	
Clifton Buzzell, error in assessment		3.00	
Elmer Clark, old age		3.00	
Charles Barney, error in assessment		20.40	
Nelson Hodgkins, old age		3.00	
Francis Peters, error in assessment		3.68	
Napolian Pouliot, error in assessment		6.80	
Charles Sheaff, error in assessment		4.80	
Guy Scott, not in town		3.00	
Howard Mitchell, error in assessment		3.00	
Elmer Clark, error in assessment		46.20	
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	\$	224.97	

1938

William Farrand, error in assessment	\$	25.64
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ABATEMENT ACCOUNT

Receipts

Supplemental tax	\$1,693.31	
Overdraft to summary	46.85	
	<hr/>	\$1,743.16

Expenditures

1940 discounts	\$ 493.30	
1940 taxes	999.25	
1939 taxes	224.97	
1938 taxes	25.64	
	<hr/>	\$1,743.16

TOWN OWNED PROPERTY ACQUIRED BY
TAX LEINS AND DEEDS

Clarence Buzzell property
 Clarence and Eula Boone property
 Laforme and Merrow property
 Fred Knights property
 Ed. Keyes property
 Cony Loring property
 Evelyn Wheeler property
 Heirs of Herbert Withee property
 Elmer Carl property
 John Wescott property
 Heirs of Fred Dunlap property
 Norriss Laney property
 Orland Dudley property
 J. B. Davis heirs property
 M. E. Beal Heirs property
 Sam Perry property
 George Booth property
 Glen Nickerson property
 Florence and Fred Gibbs property
 Bernard Deveau property
 Robie Albee property
 Damase Chouinard property
 Edwin Bunker property
 Charles Barney property

GENERAL EXPENSE

Receipts

Appropriation	\$1,300.00	
Bank Stock tax	61.90	
Keyes estate	118.79	
Railroad and Telegraph tax	93.96	
Overlay in assessing	1,898.33	
Lien costs and Misc.	579.54	
	<hr/>	\$4,052.52

Expenditures

Depositors' Trust Company, supplies	\$ 8.45
Harry D. Burgess, commission, tax collector	369.57
Folsom's Insurance Agency, insurance	107.98
Marks Printing House, supplies	70.35
Ideal Print Shop, supplies	28.00
Miller & Jones, supplies	10.43
Skowhegan Press, supplies	7.85
Independent-Reporter Co., supplies	131.20
Spaulding's Drug Store, supplies	2.30
Central Maine Power Co., lights	12.00
New Sharon & Norridgewock Tel. Co., tele- phone	57.10
B. B. Allen, postage and supplies	131.75
B. B. Allen, travel expense	31.60
Ames & Ames, miscellaneous	432.59
Dillanham's, supplies	2.75
Transco Envelope Co., supplies	9.15
Evelyn Rogers, ballot clerk	3.00
Alice Knowlen, ballot clerk	18.00
Edna Emmons, ballot clerk	3.00
Guy Rogers, election expense	3.00
Shirley Tuttle, ballot clerk	18.00
Virginia Hussey, ballot clerk	18.00
Mabel Vaughan, ballot clerk	3.00
Martha Condon, ballot clerk	6.00
F. W. Gibbs, miscellaneous .....	.75
George W. Blanchard, miscellaneous	5.00
Clayton Eames, miscellaneous	125.10
Flora Caouette, miscellaneous	77.25
Bernard Gibbs, miscellaneous	2.00
Leland Merrill, election expense	19.00

State Dept. of Audit, miscellaneous	350.35	
D. A. & W. E. Porter, miscellaneous	40.00	
State Treasurer, Institutional care	140.00	
Maurice Philbrick, M. D., miscellaneous ...	10.00	
George W. Merrill, supplies	20.55	
L. E. Gurley, miscellaneous	4.61	
Fred Wheeler, election expense and misc. .	20.50	
George O. Carr, supplies	13.40	
Clarence Boone, election expense	7.00	
E. A. Hilton, supplies	3.70	
M. M. Brown, Surplus Commodities	190.41	
Town of Norridgewock, miscellaneous	33.73	
Fred L. Tower Co., miscellaneous	6.00	
Marita H. Courtney, ballot clerk	9.00	
Alfred B. Everett, miscellaneous	11.50	
Almon Blaisdell, miscellaneous	6.00	
George Lunt, lights	6.50	
Fox and Ginn, Surplus Commodities .....	.85	
Ira Knowlen, miscellaneous	22.50	
Frederick Smith, misc.	2.60	
Carl H. Gilman misc. ....	.38	
Pat McNiel, supplies	6.00	
Thomas Courtney, miscellaneous	1.00	
Ray Burrill, supplies .....	.31	
Helena B. Ames, election expense	24.86	
	<u>\$2,645.92</u>	
Unexpended to summary	1,406.60	
	<u>\$4,052.52</u>	

TOWN OFFICERS

Receipts

Appropriation	\$ 432.00	
Overdraft to summary	9.51	
	<u>\$ 441.51</u>	

Expenditures

Helena B. Ames	\$ 114.51	
Arthur J. Robinson	95.00	

Ira N. Knowlen	85.00	
George O. Carr	75.00	
Elsie Stanley	24.00	
Clayton Albee	24.00	
Marjorie Wilder	24.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 441.51

REDUCTION OF TOWN DEBT

Receipts

Appropriation	\$11,286.80	
Back tax collections	10,315.72	
Collections of Accounts receivable	11,193.37	
	<hr/>	\$32,795.89

Expenditures

Treasurer's cash reserve	\$ 334.33	
School bonds	3,000.00	
1939 Appropriation to reduce bonds	937.00	
1939 School unexpended	43.54	
Notes payable, bank	6,600.00	
Notes payable, personal	3,000.00	
Accounts payable	13,077.45	
1939 Third class maint. unexpended	60.64	
Balance 1938 State tax	917.02	
Balance 1939 State tax	2,813.40	
1939 State Aid maintenance	643.14	
Balance 1939 Old Age Assistance	401.27	
1938 Dog tax	217.00	
1939 Dog tax	221.00	
Balance 1939 committed children	72.70	
1939 Institutional care	152.57	
Accrued interest, State tax	208.81	
1939 Teachers' retirement fund	95.92	
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Total liabilities paid by cash		\$32,795.89
Settlement with Augusta Trust Co.	\$ 6,596.04	
Library and Cemetery Bonds transferred to net debt	7,050.00	
	<hr/>	\$46,441.93

TOWN MANAGER

Receipts

Appropriation	\$ 2,000.00
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Expenditures

B. B. Allen	\$ 1,666.60
Unexpended to statement	333.40
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	\$ 2,000.00

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Receipts

Appropriation	\$ 1,000.00
Town of Skowhegan	130.00
Town of Smithfield	107.50
Town of Mercer	120.00
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	\$ 1,357.50

Expenditures

Fire chief	\$ 100.00
Janitor	40.90
Labor	455.41
Supplies	241.75
Lights	89.90
Telephone	9.25
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	\$ 937.21
Unexpended to summary	420.29
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	\$ 1,357.50

STREET LIGHTS

Receipts

Appropriation	\$ 600.00
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Expenditures

Central Maine Power Co.	\$ 588.54	
Unexpended to summary	11.46	
	<hr/>	\$ 600.00

SCHOOL NURSE

Receipts

Appropriation	\$ 118.00
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Expenditures

Paid State Treasurer	\$ 118.00
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SUMMER ROADS

Receipts

Appropriation	\$1,500.00	
State Treasurer (refunds)	8.05	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,508.05

Expenditures

Labor	\$ 755.22	
Trucks	534.97	
Materials	127.63	
Teams	63.80	
	<hr/>	\$1,481.62
Unexpended to summary	26.43	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,508.05

WINTER ROADS

Receipts

Appropriation	\$2,000.00
State Treasurer	845.73
Due from State	1,074.31

Harold O. Clark	10.00	
Perkins Machine Shop	73.50	
State Highway Com.	43.65	
Helena B. Ames	5.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 4,052.19

Expenditures

Snow fence	\$ 176.75	
Sanding	399.38	
Plowing	2,272.90	
Repairs	308.01	
Supplies	378.17	
	<hr/>	\$3,535.21
Unexpended to summary	516.98	
	<hr/>	\$ 4,052.19

PLOWING STATE HIGHWAY

Receipts

Overdraft, to summary	\$ 531.20
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Expenditures

Paid State Treasurer	\$ 531.20
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THIRD CLASS MAINTENANCE

Receipts

1939 Balance	\$ 60.64	
Appropriation	1,074.00	
Overdraft to statement	248.91	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,383.55

Expenditures

State Treasurer, for tar	\$ 612.17
Trucks	471.29
Materials	192.68
Labor	107.41
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	\$ 1,383.55

STATE AID MAINTENANCE

Receipts

Appropriation	\$ 930.00
Overdraft to statement	161.40
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	\$ 1,091.40

Expenditures

Paid State Treasurer	\$ 129.43
Transferred to Old Age Assistance	961.97
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	\$ 1,091.40

STATE AID CONSTRUCTION

Receipts

Appropriation	\$ 799.50
Received from State Treasurer	4,670.97
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	\$ 5,470.47

Expenditures

Trucks	\$3,678.17
Materials	1,511.74
Labor	280.56
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	\$ 5,470.47

CUTTING BUSHES

Receipts

Overdraft to summary	\$ 309.94
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Expenditures

Labor	\$ 309.94
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UNIMPROVED ROADS

Receipts

State Treasurer	\$ 801.30	
From summer roads	5.67	
	<hr/>	\$ 806.97

Expenditures

Labor	\$ 506.69	
Trucks	112.38	
Teams	169.50	
Supplies	18.40	
	<hr/>	\$ 806.97

TOWN POOR

Receipts

Appropriation	\$3,500.00	
Redington Memorial Hospital	18.50	
State refund	341.04	
	<hr/>	\$3,859.54

Expenditures

	Medical Care	Fuel and Rent	Food and Board	Total
John Cox			\$ 9.20	\$ 9.20
Raymond Murray	\$ 50.50			50.50
Ostie Wilder			31.59	31.59
Leroy Grant			24.62	24.62

Tramps			2.95	2.95
Niel Grant			36.00	36.00
Andrew Tracy	2.50	\$13.00	64.42	79.92
Veterans	14.84	27.50	182.71	225.05
Ulrich Leavitt	27.44		281.09	308.53
Verne Berry	1.79		28.09	29.88
Susie Knights	4.80		55.40	60.20
Fred Gibbs .....	.68	7.11		7.79
Irene James	17.00		201.30	218.30
David Murray			176.42	176.42
Gerald Devereaux			19.08	19.08
Charles Woodcock ...	264.36			264.36
A. N. Avery	8.24			8.24
G. W. Tuttle			5.59	5.59
Onesime Buotte	57.44			57.44
	<u>\$ 449.59</u>	<u>\$47.61</u>	<u>\$1,118.46</u>	<u>\$1,615.66</u>
Unexpended to summary				2,243.88
				<u>\$3,859.54</u>

STATE POOR

	Total Expended	Received from State	Balance Due
Jennie Lagassie	\$ 182.95	\$ 182.95	
Mrs. John Kelley	414.54	411.54	\$ 3.00
Alfred Smith children ..	480.51	453.51	27.00
Margie Gilman	262.33	262.33	
Norman Worth	90.10	82.60	7.50
Charles Morrisson	124.20	96.62	27.58
Orville D. Hall	194.39	184.39	10.00
Alice Mace	15.10	15.10	
Palmer French	58.87	48.87	10.00
Henry Benjamin	344.75	316.39	28.36
Donald Otis	25.00	25.00	
James Erskine	28.34	28.34	
Loza Smith	44.04	44.04	
Micah Philips .....	.35	.35	
Ira Bubier	19.31	19.31	
Mrs. Rosa Wambolt	1.25		1.25
	<u>\$2,286.03</u>	<u>\$2,171.34</u>	<u>\$114.69</u>

POOR OF OTHER TOWNS

	Total Expended	Total Received	Balance Due
John McLaughlin	\$11.50	\$11.50	
Marguerite Gardner	26.00		\$26.00
Emmons Young	4.75	4.75	
	<hr/> \$42.25	<hr/> \$16.25	<hr/> \$26.00

AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN

Receipts

Overdraft to summary \$ 120.00

Expenditures

Paid to State Treasurer \$ 120.00

COMMITTED CHILDREN

Receipts

Overdraft to summary \$ 62.99

Expenditures

Paid to State Treasurer \$ 62.99

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

Receipts

1939 Balance	\$ 401.27	
From State Aid maintenance	961.97	
	<hr/>	\$1,363.24

Expenditures

Paid State Treasurer	\$ 882.29	
Balance due State, to Statement	480.95	
	<hr/>	\$1,363.24

CEMETERIES

Receipts

Appropriation	\$ 100.00
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Expenditures

Labor	\$ 82.07
Unexpended to summary	17.93
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	\$ 100.00

LIBRARY

Receipts

Appropriation	\$ 300.00
State Treasurer	19.77
Mrs. H. C. Hussey	75.50
Captain Hall, interest	20.00
Fines	6.00
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	\$ 421.27

Expenditures

Librarian	\$ 127.50
Janitor	51.00
Fuel and lights	43.50
Books and supplies	138.33
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	\$ 360.33
Unexpended to summary	60.94
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	\$ 421.27

MEMORIAL DAY

Receipts

Appropriation	\$ 25.00
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Expenditures

Maine Fireworks Co.	\$ 8.40	
Maude Carr	16.60	
	<u> </u>	\$ 25.00

MONUMENT SQUARE

Receipts

Appropriation	\$ 15.00
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Expenditures

Henry C. Hussey	\$ 4.00	
Unexpended to summary	11.00	
	<u> </u>	\$ 15.00

STATE TAX

Receipts

Appropriation	\$5,385.27
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Expenditures

State Treasurer	\$5,385.27
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COUNTY TAX

Receipts

Appropriation	\$1,246.83
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Expenditures

County Treasurer	\$1,246.83
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Report of Treasurer

Cash on hand February 1, 1940	\$ 301.64
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Receipts

Taxes:

Property and poll — current	
year	\$46,466.72
Property and poll—prior years	11,465.20
Tax liens	7,607.34
Town owned property	927.36
Excise tax—1941	507.00
Excise tax—1940	1,032.38

Total from taxes	\$68,006.00
Dog licenses	187.30

Departmental receipts:

Administration	\$ 1,739.55
Accounts Receivable	11,193.37
Highways	6,458.20
Charities	2,562.13
Education	5,209.80

Total departmental receipts	\$27,163.05
Cemetery trust funds	200.00

Interest:

On taxes	\$ 1,465.27
On trust funds	21.64

Total from interest	\$ 1,486.91
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Municipal indebtedness:

Bonds	\$33,000.00
Temporary loans	8,000.00

Total from municipal indebtedness	\$41,000.00
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Total receipts	\$138,043.26
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Total available	\$138,344.90
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Total warrants paid	134,322.52
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Cash balance February 1, 1941..	\$ 4,022.33
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RECONCILIATION OF TREASURER'S CASH BALANCE

Feb. 1, 1941

Check book balance	\$ 4,022.38	
Outstanding checks	38,836.44	
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Total		\$42,858.82
Bank balance	\$ 3,933.32	
Deposits not credited	38,925.50	
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Total		\$42,858.82

Cemetery Report

Cemetery Funds Borrowed by the Town of Norridgewock at 4% Interest

Name	Amount	Balance Feb. 1, 1940	Interest	Expended	Balance Feb. 1, 1941
E. J. Holway	\$100.00	\$100.97	\$4.00	\$4.00	\$100.97
Horatio Page	100.00	100.76	4.00	2.00	114.76
Fred Lawton	100.00	100.00	4.00	4.00	100.00
Piper and Lunt	100.00	100.00	4.00	3.00	101.00
Heirs of George Boston ..	100.00	100.00	4.00	4.00	100.00
Laura H. Thissell	100.00	102.00	4.00	4.00	102.00
H. K. Sawyer	100.00	109.41	4.00	4.00	109.41
Coney Russell	100.00	100.97	4.00	4.00	100.97
Brown & Leavitt	100.00	135.00	4.00		139.00
Burgess & Brennan	100.00	113.91	4.00	4.00	113.91
Henry T. Whiting	100.00	132.24	4.00	4.00	132.24
Sophia Hall	100.00	101.73	4.00	4.00	101.73
J. F. Woodsum	100.00	100.00	4.00	4.00	100.00
Mary Spaulding	100.00	132.24	4.00	4.00	132.24
Hawley Emerson	100.00	104.39	4.00	4.00	104.39
Lindsey & Townsend ...	100.00	115.14	4.00	4.00	115.14
Gillis, L. & Townsend ...	100.00	101.39	4.00	4.00	101.39
Dr. Llewellyn Brown	200.00	260.21	8.00	4.00	264.21
George Withee	100.00	105.63	4.00	4.00	105.63
Chas. B. & John Barker .	100.00	100.00	4.00	4.00	100.00
William Spaulding	100.00	107.23	4.00	4.00	107.23
Heber Wheeler	100.00	104.31	4.00	4.00	104.31
Lovina Marrifield	100.00	126.26	4.00	4.00	126.26
John Whiting	100.00	132.13	4.00	4.00	132.13
Wyatt Huff	200.00	296.65	8.00	4.00	300.65
Turner Buswell	100.00	113.34	4.00	2.00	115.34
Martha J. Hathaway	200.00	244.86	8.00	4.00	248.86
Levi & Mary Moore	75.00	81.50	3.00	3.00	81.50
Clark and Bates	75.00	104.66	3.00		107.66
Levi Powers	50.00	51.06	2.00	2.00	51.06
William Hobbs	50.00	50.00	2.00	2.00	50.00
Millard Taylor	50.00	50.00	2.00	2.00	50.00

Name	Amount	Balance Feb. 1, 1940	Interest	Expended	Balance Feb. 1, 1941
Wallace Taylor	50.00	50.00	2.00	2.00	50.00
Albert C. Hussey	50.00	50.49	2.00	2.00	50.49
W. H. Sawtelle	50.00	52.67	2.00	2.00	52.67
John & Dorcas Clark	50.00	51.66	2.00	2.00	51.66
Soloman Bates	50.00	51.91	2.00	2.00	51.91
John C. Page	50.00	52.66	2.00	2.00	52.66
Clark & Bates	50.00	52.00	2.00	2.00	52.00
Martha H. Albee	50.00	51.06	2.00	2.00	51.06
Henry T. Choate	50.00	56.32	2.00	2.00	56.32
J. & Levi O. Savage	100.00	103.40	4.00	2.00	105.40
Clarence Stevens	50.00	51.40	2.00	2.00	51.40
Frank S. Wade	50.00	55.41	2.00	2.00	55.41
George E. Bailey	50.00	51.40	2.00	2.00	51.40
H. W. Jenkins	50.00	51.40	2.00	2.00	51.40
William B. Longley & Har- rison Whiting	50.00	60.51	2.00	2.00	60.51
Burgess & Brennan	50.00	52.00	2.00	2.00	52.00
William B. Longley	50.00	52.00	2.00	2.50	51.50
Brown & Leavitt	50.00	52.00	2.00	3.00	51.00
W. W. Gould	50.00	51.06	2.00	2.00	51.06
Benjamin Clure	50.00	54.47	2.00	2.00	54.47
Vesta A. Fuller	50.00	50.50	2.00	2.00	50.50
Lauriston S. Lowe	50.00	51.30	2.00	2.00	51.30
Hiram Butler	50.00	51.30	2.00	2.00	51.30

Cemetery Funds Borrowed by the Town of Norridgewock
at 2½% Interest

B. W. Smith	\$100.00	\$102.50	\$2.50		\$105.00
Ella F. Penney	100.00	101.00	2.50	\$3.00	100.50
Henry Walker	100.00	101.00	2.50	2.00	101.50
Henry Walker	100.00	102.50	2.50	2.00	103.00
Isa Harris	100.00	100.50	2.50	2.00	101.00
Henry Murphy	100.00	102.00	2.50	2.50	102.00
Benjamin Jones French ..	200.00	200.00	5.00	4.00	201.00
Lizzie Jones	100.00	101.00	2.50	2.50	101.00
Sara A. Frederic	100.00	101.00	2.50	2.50	101.00

Name	Amount	Balance Feb. 1, 1940	Interest	Expended	Balance Feb. 1, 1941
Albin A. Cheviot	50.00	50.00	1.25	1.25	50.00
H. D. & A. L. Burgess	50.00	50.00	1.25	1.25	50.00
T. J. Hogan	50.00	50.00	1.25	1.25	50.00
Joseph Cripps	100.00	102.50	2.50	2.00	103.00
Edward E. Barker	50.00	50.00	1.25	2.58	50.00
Ernest W. Gilman	50.00	50.00	1.25	1.25	50.00
Henry Murphy	50.00	51.25	1.25	2.50	50.00
Mabel Wright	50.00	50.00	1.25	1.25	50.00
Joseph Cripps	50.00	51.25	1.25	1.25	52.50
R. M. Baker	100.00	102.50	2.50	2.00	103.00
I. M. & A. P. Sawtelle ...	100.00	100.00	2.50	3.00	100.00
Joseph M. Smith	50.00	50.00	1.25		51.25
Fields and Kennison	100.00		2.50	2.00	100.50
Iva Jordan	100.00		2.50		102.50
Samuel Hopkins	100.00		2.50		102.50

Cemetery Trust Funds Deposited
Depositors' Trust Co.
Madison

Book No.	Name	Amount	Interest	Expended	Balance Feb. 1, 1941
1846—	Maria H. Staples ..\$	75.00	\$1.61		\$76.61
1847—	Isaac Powers	50.00	1.06	\$2.00	50.00
1848—	Althea Haskell	50.00	1.08		51.08
1849—	Frank A. Fuller ...	50.00	1.07	2.00	50.00
1850—	Charles M. Lovejoy	75.00	1.61	2.00	75.00
1851—	W. A. Taylor	32.31	.70	1.50	32.31
1853—	E. A. Hilton	48.41	1.06	1.25	48.41
1854—	Alvin Huff	66.17	1.44	1.65	66.17
1855—	Harry Briggs	48.72	1.08	2.00	48.72
1856—	Albion Morse	65.70	1.43	2.00	65.70
1858—	Mable Wright	32.38	.70	.75	32.38
1859—	Henry A. George ..	14.89	.32	1.00	14.89

Book No.	Name	Amount	Interest	Expended	Balance Feb. 1, 1941
1860—	Plummer H. Butler	31.77	.70	1.00	31.77
1861—	Mary L. Gordon ...	31.44	.69	1.25	31.44
1862—	C. J. Savage	31.33	.69	1.91	31.33
1864—	Luther H. Allen ...	64.66	1.42	1.61	64.66
1865—	Martha & Chas. Rus- sell	65.00	1.42	1.61	65.00
1866—	Chas. Russell	65.00	1.42	1.61	65.00
1867—	Edward E. Barker .	64.68	1.42	1.42	64.68
1869—	Jenette Johnson ...	32.34	.72	2.00	32.34

NORRIDGEWOCK SCHOOL DISTRICT

Receipts

Balance on hand Feb. 1, 1940	\$ 15.00
Town of Norridgewock raised at town meeting Mar. 1, 1940	1,292.50
	<hr/> \$1,307.50

Expenditures

F. L. Ames, treasurer's bond	\$ 10.00
John McIntire, interest on bond	90.00
George G. Averill, prin. on bond due June 1, 1940	1,000.00
George G. Averill, interest on bond	202.50
	<hr/> \$1,302.50
Balance on hand	\$ 5.00

BUDGET FOR FISCAL YEAR ENDING FEB. 1, 1941

George G. Averill, principal on bond	\$1,000.00
George G. Averill, interest on \$4,000.00 for six months at 4½%	90.00
George G. Averill, interest on \$3,000.00 for six months at 4½%	67.50
John McIntire, interest on \$2,000.00 for 1 year at 4½%	90.00
F. L. Ames, Treas., on bond	10.00
	<hr/> \$1,257.50

Report of Superintendent of Schools

To the Superintending School Committee and Citizens of Norridgewock:

I herewith submit a report of the condition and progress of the schools for the fiscal year ending February 1, 1941.

This report includes a statement of the receipts and expenditures in the various accounts, the budget estimates for the coming year, the report of the High School Principal, and matters of general interest.

GENERAL PROGRAM. Schools have been conducted according to the same general plan of organization as for the previous year, with one teacher per grade in the elementary schools and a six year high school with departmental work. The studies in the elementary schools follow the program outlined in the State Course of Study. The secondary program offers two courses, the College Preparatory and General. In these courses, the pupils have the opportunity to take four years of work in English, four years in Social Science, four years in Natural Science, four years in Mathematics, two years each of Latin and French, and four years of Home Economics and Manual Training. Vocal music, instrumental music and Physical Education are also offered. These curricula afford some training in practical subjects as well as preparation for college. It is probably as broad a program as the school can profitably undertake at the present time with the facilities available.

TEACHERS. Several changes in the teaching staff have occurred during the past year. Four new teachers have been employed. We have been fortunate, however, in being able to retain some of our most successful teachers. Considerable difficulty has been experienced in filling vacancies with trained and well qualified teachers. There is no over-supply of successful teachers in either the elementary or secondary field and towns may be faced with a shortage in the near future. The defense industries are absorbing many individuals who would otherwise enter teaching and as long as this work lasts unsettled conditions are certain to exist. While a strong defense program is vital and necessary and schools must be prepared to make their

contributions, it must be remembered that a strong and well supported school system is the best defense of American Democracy.

ENROLLMENT. The number of pupils enrolled shows only a slight increase as compared with the previous year. This is the first time in several years that a significant increase has not been evident. The elementary pupils have adequate seating space and the distribution of pupils by grades is quite uniform. The high school rooms are somewhat over-crowded and it is necessary to use the laboratory for a study section and to combine classes with large study sections which is not conducive to the best of results.

CONVEYANCE. The conveyance facilities have been improved by the purchase of a new Chevrolet chassis for use on Route No. 1. This change was necessary as the old chassis was neither safe nor dependable. The cost of the new equipment, \$596.70, has been paid from current funds. The other two town owned busses are old and fast approaching the time for replacement. Plans should be made to replace them as soon as the town can afford to do so.

BUILDINGS. Very little has been done in the way of repairs in recent years on account of lack of funds. There is need, however, of some work being done in the near future. The work should include changes in the electric wiring, improvement of sanitary conditions and cleaning and painting the rooms in the older part of the Consolidated building. The sixth grade building should be shingled and painted on both interior and exterior and better heating arrangements provided. The budget includes \$285.00 for general repair work and it is hoped to be able to make some improvements this year. If a small amount of work can be done each year it will soon be possible to maintain the buildings in good condition.

WATER. The greatest need of the school is an adequate drinking water supply. Water is being carried to the building in cans and paper cups are furnished to the pupils. This arrangement for a building with nearly 400 pupils is expensive and far from satisfactory. The problem has been under consideration for some time and an article has been inserted in the Warrant to allow the citizens to take action on the matter. It is earnestly hoped that some satisfactory solution to the problem may be found.

FINANCES. The improvement in town finances is very gratifying to the school officials. There is an entirely different spirit prevailing among the school employees and it is much easier to conduct the business of the department in an economical way. I wish to express to Mr. Allen, Town Manager, our appreciation for his cooperation and assistance during the year.

The financing of your schools is becoming increasingly difficult each year due to a decrease in the amount received by the town from the State School Fund. During the last ten years the State School Fund has decreased about \$500,000.00 and consequently each town has suffered proportionately. This fund was originally distributed on the basis of \$100.00 per teaching position, \$3.00 per pupil on the School Census, and the balance or about $1\frac{1}{2}$ cents per day on daily attendance. For several years no funds have been available for distribution on the basis of daily attendance and the census allotment of \$3.00 per pupil has been gradually reduced to \$1.65 for the past year. The figures for Norridgewock show that while the census has increased during the past ten years there has been a decrease in State Funds of nearly \$750.00 per year. The burden of the support of schools is thus being shifted from the State to the towns. This trend cannot continue further without causing difficulties. The present Legislature is considering a bill to restore the School Fund to its previous level. It is too early to predict what action may be taken but the matter is important and should be of interest and concern to every citizen.

BUDGET. The budget for the coming year has been carefully prepared and recommends the same amount as was appropriated last year for the School Fund Account for general maintenance and an increase of \$100.00 in the Account for Special Purposes.

Thanking all who have contributed in any way to the success of the schools, this report is,

Respectfully submitted,

KERMIT S. NICKERSON,

Superintendent of Schools

Report of Principal of Norridgewock High School

To the Superintendent of Schools:

It is with pleasure that I submit the following report concerning Norridgewock High School.

The enrollment in September was as follows:

	Boys	Girls	Total
Seniors	10	12	22
Juniors	13	16	29
Sophomores	14	17	31
Freshmen	17	19	36
Eighth Grade	14	17	31
Seventh Grade	13	15	28
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	81	96	177

The faculty for the school year consists of: Miss Helen Rice, Bates College; Mr. Carroll Rich, Gorham Normal School; Mr. Theodore Foster, Ithaca College; Miss Avis Umphrey, Farmington Normal School; Mrs. Fred Spaulding, Boston University. The last three members are new this year. Mrs. Spaulding is teaching the social studies and languages. Miss Umphrey is the head of the Home Economics Department, while Mr. Foster is director of physical education and teacher of biology and natural science.

The school is operating on a seven period rotating schedule which allows five one-hour periods to be held daily. This program also provides for a half hour activity period which is used for assemblies and other outside activity meetings.

The several new activities which were added last year to help promote mental, social and character development have been continued with much success. Miss Umphrey has charge of the Home Economics Club which is doing fine work in encouraging proper practices in household and social etiquette. Mrs.

Spaulding has assumed the duties of advisor for the school paper "Indian Echo" which is a very educational as well as an interesting project. Mr. Rich has resumed his special manual training class for girls. Many small household articles are being made. The Outing Club sponsored a winter sports delegation for the first time this year. Its project to maintain a skating rink failed due to unforeseen difficulties. However, it is hoped that this club will encourage participation in wholesome out-of-door activities. Mr. Yeaton has stimulated considerable interest in dramatics; his newly formed Dramatic Club is very active. The safety patrol, which was organized last year, has been faithfully watching the cross walks to prevent accidents. The student council has been discussing various matters regarding the student activities and school welfare. A vocational guidance discussion group has been organized among the seniors in an effort to acquaint them with some of the possibilities of future employment and requirements which they will be expected to meet.

Mr. Ghen's passing was indeed a great shock to the community and the band. As a result, the band has been inactive since December. Fortunately, the band is to be continued under the direction of Mr. Norman Dickinson, who has recently been appointed to teach instrumental music in the Skowhegan schools.

Miss Rice is now organizing the Junior Prize Speaking Contest which will be held in March. This year the winner of the contest will compete in the Lydia Spear Speaking Contest. This latter contest includes representatives from schools throughout the state.

The dramatic activities at the school are very capably directed by Mr. Donald Yeaton who is teaching in the sixth grade.

Mr. Rich has made several very helpful improvements at the school. They include: enlarging the manual training room, making lockers, scenery, etc.

The high school athletic teams are being very well trained by their new coach, Mr. Foster.

Miss Umphrey, with the assistance of Mrs. Huntoon, has been preparing hot lunches for all the pupils in the school. The lunches may be purchased for the very small sum of three cents. An average of eighty-five pupils have been taking advantage of this hot-lunch program.

The town is indeed fortunate to have such a fine cooperative group of teachers and also such a faithful and efficient janitor as Mr. Leland Merrill.

In behalf of the school I wish to thank the townspeople for their loyal support at the various school activities.

Personally, I want to express my appreciation for the hospitality which we have received since coming to Norridgewock.

Respectfully submitted,

WALTER M. GAY,

Principal of Norridgewock High School

School Report

STATE SCHOOL FUND ACCOUNT

Receipts

Town appropriation	\$10,000.00
Balance, 1939-1940	43.54
State school funds	2,581.22
Tuition received:	
Town of Mercer	636.00
Town of Sidney	53.00
Town of Smithfield	556.50
Interest, Mary Sawtelle Williams Fund	20.63
Sale of supplies	75.02
Conveyance, Leslie Wills	14.00
Refund, J. B. Lippincott Company .....	.87
Refund, Ginn and Company	36.77
Refund, Maine Public Health Association ..	1.16
Refund, National Grange Company	5.33
Total receipts	\$14,024.04

Expenditures

High school teachers:

Walter Gay	\$ 1,457.55
R. L. Ghen	93.00
Helen Spaulding	446.59
Helen Rice	829.25
Geneva Kirk	349.30
Maine Teachers' Retirement Asso.	33.31
Maine Teachers' Asso. (dues deducted from salaries)	7.00
Theodore Foster	21.11
	\$ 3,237.11

Common school teachers:

Mary Corson	\$ 530.95
Lucille Clark	508.80

Harriett Chamberlain	486.30
Helen Sawyer	337.15
Marguerite Kelley	504.35
Donald Yeaton	512.00
Ruth Stinchfield	7.50
Rosamond Stanhope	33.00
Gwendolyn Bailey	160.00
Town of Oakland	34.00
Helen Spaulding	14.00
Mrs. Ray Burrill	9.00
Maine Teachers' Retirement Asso.	64.80
Maine Teachers' Asso. (dues deducted from salary)	12.00
	<hr/> \$ 3,213.85

Conveyance:

Ansel Clark	\$ 1,478.00
Arthur Robinson	825.00
Lyndon Hale	330.00
Wallace Sheaff	330.00
Irving Moody	330.00
Norridgewock Motor Company, Chevro- let chassis	596.70
Norridgewock Motor Company	189.14
U. E. Stanley	626.04
Folsom's Insurance Agency	51.76
Nancy Winslow, insurance	40.58
Campbell Built Products	44.75
	<hr/> \$ 4,841.97

Janitor:

Leland Merrill	\$ 765.50
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Fuel:

Clayton Albee	\$ 60.00
George Dickinson	60.00

Leland Merrill	10.00	
Walter Jones	90.00	
Robie Albee	10.00	
Miles F. Carpenter Coal Company	298.74	
Wesley Watson	93.00	
		<hr/> \$ 621.74
Textbooks	358.91	
Supplies	938.52	
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Total expenditures	\$13,977.60	
Balance	46.44	
		<hr/> \$14,024.04

ACCOUNTS FOR SPECIAL PURPOSES

Receipts

Town appropriation	\$2,000.00	
Balance, 1939-40	3.24	
State subsidy, industrial	841.93	
State subsidy, physical	308.00	
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Total receipts	\$3,153.17	

Expenditures

Repairs:

Nash & Viles	\$ 12.45	
Central Maine Power Company	3.00	
W. D. Sargent Company	47.02	
George Worthley	5.50	
Leland Merrill	4.07	
Russell Worthley	4.07	
Skowhegan Electric Shop	23.19	
W. D. Soule	3.85	
W. W. Merrow	1.69	
Addie Huntoon	29.40	
		<hr/> \$ 134.24

Insurance:

Folsom's Insurance Agency	\$ 157.20	\$ 157.20
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Industrial:

Carroll Rich	\$ 850.80	
Avis Umphrey	446.59	
Marion Austin	377.80	
Maine Teachers' Asso. (dues deducted from salaries)	4.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,679.19

Physical:

Melvin J. Preble	\$ 380.00	
Theodore Foster	377.98	
Maine Teachers' Retirement Asso.	20.00	
Maine Teachers' Asso. (dues deducted from salaries)	2.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 799.98

Medical inspection:

Dr. H. W. Smith	\$ 50.00	\$ 50.00
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Superintendence:

Kermit S. Nickerson	\$ 338.40	
Arthur Robinson	5.00	
Ira Knowlen	5.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 348.40
Total expenditures		\$3,149.01
Balance		4.16
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		\$3,153.17

Town Clerk's Report

BIRTHS

1938

Jan. 10—Camilla Ann Crowe

1939

Oct. 24—Jean A. Rogers

1940

Jan. 18—Shirley Irene Mayo

Jan. 29—Carol Ann Macklin

Feb. 1—Gary Jasper Crommett

Feb. 5—Weldon Emerson Brown

Feb. 21—Carol R. Nickerson

Feb. 27—Edward Talbert Frederick

Mar. 10—Blynn Charles Currier

Apr. 20—Maurice William Clark

June 8—Mary A. N. Smith

July 8—Mary Ellen Wheeler

July 23—James Elbridge Merrill

July 26—Robert Ernest Dow

Sept. 20—Reginal Erlon Otis

Dec. 20—Ray Max Wenninger

DEATHS

1940

Jan. 21—Grace Shorey Folsom

Feb. 14—Adele Cayer

Feb. 24—Elizabeth F. Bartlett

Feb. 25—James Tracy

Mar. 7—Jennie Holt

Mar. 25—Fannie A. Bartlett

Apr. 2—Amos N. Avery

Apr. 7—Benj. Charles Greenleaf

Apr. 10—Jonnn R. Kelley

Apr. 13—Ella M. Clark

May 15—Lizzie T. Jones

May 25—Elizabeth A. Parsons

June 20—Isaiah Green

June 23—Mabel R. Wright

July 1—Emery S. Soule
 July 10—Mabel E. Woodsum
 July 22—Edgar E. Wyman
 July 24—Rosette O. Longley
 July 24—Clara E. Stewart
 July 28—James P. Huntoon
 July 29—Rhoda A. Robinson
 Aug. 13—Wm. H. Stewart
 Sept. 14—Melvina Hall Butler
 Sept. 19—Bessie P. A. Forsythe
 Sept. 27—Henry J. McLaughlin
 Oct. 2—Wm. H. Fortier
 Oct. 7—Herbert A. Andrews
 Oct. 15—George A. Hussey
 Oct. 20—James Knights
 Oct. 29—Fred W. Gibbs
 Nov. 13—Wallace Frederick Sheaff
 Nov. 14—Hazel M. West
 Nov. 23—Ella May Frederick
 Dec. 23—Forrest F. Jackson
 Dec. 24—Warren D. Blackwell
 1941
 Jan. 10—Barbara J. Smith

MARRIAGES

1940
 Feb. 17—Nelson J. Howard
 Frances I. Reed
 Mar. 16—Harris A. Danforth
 Eleanor C. Hatto
 Mar. 30—Edwin C. Garland
 Ida R. Grant
 Apr. 4—Ivan R. Winters
 Leona A. Moore
 Apr. 6—Royce A. Worthley
 Gladys A. Clukey
 Apr. 13—Herbert L. Ward
 Evelyn P. Fourener
 Apr. 27—Elroy Easler
 Ruth A. Hooper
 May 1—Ashman M. Ladd
 Lena M. Tuttle

- May 30—Chester L. Frederick
Mae E. Rogers
- June 23—Alfred L. Barney
Eleanor May Whitney
- June 25—Larn A. Hybökman
Mary C. Collins
- July 20—Charles S. Barney
Melvina A. Tessier
- Aug. 8—Leo J. Redmond
Hazel Damren
- Aug. 15—Earl F. Fötter
Valeria Grace Crowe
- Aug. 30—Lynn E. Greenleaf
Viola P. Jones
- Sept. 8—Waldo A. Beck
Florence M. Seabury
- Sept. 12—Joseph Norman LeClair
Frances Ada Blackie
- Sept. 14—Milton Earl Rogers
Gladys B. Chandler
- Sept. 21—Frank A. Parsons
Ella R. Dickey
- Oct. 4—Earl V. Wing
Jeanette E. Kelley
- Oct. 11—Earl Flanders
Dorothy B. Dickey
- Oct. 12—Archie J. Arsenault
Collene B. Merrill
- Nov. 2—Harold I. Buzzell
Corliss Mary Thibodeau
- Nov. 10—Alton R. Rackleff
Ada Marie Goodwin
- Nov. 30—Albion J. Adams
Edwina E. Rogers
- Dec. 23—Hiram F. Tobey
Carrie E. Walker
- 1941
- Jan. 16—Herbert B. Luce
Mildred B. Luce

Warrant For Annual Town Meeting

To: Fred Wheeler, Constable for the Town of Norridgewock,
in the County of Somerset. GREETINGS:

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Norridgewock, qualified to vote in town affairs, to meet in the Town Hall, in said town on Monday, the third day of March, A. D. 1941 at nine o'clock in the forenoon to elect all town officers and to transact all other town business as herein enumerated in the articles of the town warrant. For the election of officers the polls will be open immediately after the election of a moderator and remain open until two o'clock in the afternoon. The transaction of other town business will begin at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Art. 1—To choose a moderator to preside in said meeting.

Art. 2—To examine and act on the reports of the town officers.

Art. 3—To see if the town will vote to authorize its Selectmen to employ a Town Manager in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 130 of the Public Laws of 1939 of the State of Maine and authorize the Selectmen to fix the compensation of such manager not to exceed the sum of \$2,500.00 per year. (Recommended by Finance Committee.)

Art. 4—To see if the town will vote to raise a sum not exceeding \$2,500.00 to pay for the services of a town manager. (Recommended by Finance Committee.)

Art. 5—To elect a Town Clerk, three Selectmen, Assessors of Taxes, Overseers of Poor, Treasurer and a member of the Superintending School Committee as provided in Chapter 5, Sections 38 to 52 inclusive of the Revised Statutes of Maine for the year of 1930 and acts additional and amendatory thereto, pro-

vision for which was adopted by the town of Norridgewock at a special town meeting held on January 27, A. D. 1940. (Finance Committee recommends that the office of Treasurer be discontinued and the duties of Treasurer taken over by the Town Manager.)

Art. 6—To see if the town will vote to elect a Collector of Taxes, Fire Chief, Road Commissioner, Fire Warden, a member of the Library Committee and a member of the Cemetery Committee. (Finance Committee recommends that the Town Manager take over the duties of the Collector of Taxes, Road Commissioner and Fire Warden.)

Art. 7—To see how much the town will vote to raise for general school maintenance. (Committee recommends \$10,000.00)

Art. 8—To see how much the town will vote to raise for each of the special purposes listed below: Recommendations of the school board and finance committee are as follows: medical inspection, \$50.00; insurance, \$250.00; industrial education, \$753.00; physical education, \$412.00; repairs, \$285.00; superintendence, \$350.00. Total recommended, \$2,100.00)

Art. 9—To see what sums of money the town will appropriate and raise for the ensuing year for the following purposes.

- No. 1. Town expense account. (\$1,200.00 recommended)
- No. 2. Street lights. (\$600.00 recommended)
- No. 3. Summer roads. (\$2,000.00 recommended)
- No. 4. Snow roads. (\$1,500.00 recommended)
- No. 5. Cutting bushes. (\$400.00 recommended)
- No. 6. Streets and sidewalks. (\$200.00 recommended)

- No. 7. Snow removal State highways. (\$531.20 recommended)
- No. 8. Third class maintenance. (\$985.00 recommended)
- No. 9. State Aid maintenance. (\$1,091.40 recommended)
- No. 10. Support of poor. (\$2,500.00 recommended)
- No. 11. Aid to Dependent Children. (\$200.00 recommended)
- No. 12. Committed Children. (\$150.00 recommended)
- No. 13. For support of Free Library. (\$300.00 recommended)
- No. 14. Care of cemeteries. (\$100.00 recommended)
- No. 15. For care of Monument Square. (\$15.00 recommended)
- No. 16. For observance of Memorial Day. (\$25.00 recommended)
- No. 17. For payment of interest. (\$1,400.00 recommended)
- No. 18. For debt reduction. (\$2,000.00 recommended)
- No. 19. For Fire Department. (\$1,100.00 recommended)
- No. 20. Abatements. (\$500.00 recommended)
- No. 21. Salaries of Town Officers. (\$400.00 recommended)

Art. 10. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum for State Aid road construction (in addition to the amounts regularly raised for care of ways, highways and bridges) under the provisions of Section 19, Chapter 28, Revised Statutes of 1930, or under the provisions of Section 3, Chapter 229, Public Laws of 1937. (\$799.50 recommended)

Art. 11. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen on behalf of the town to sell and dispose property acquired by tax-liens or mortgage deeds, also Fred Knights property and abandoned schoolhouses. (Recommended by Finance Committee)

Art. 12. To see if the town will vote and appropriate a sum of money for the purchase of a suitable water supply for the schoolhouse. (Recommended by Finance Committee)

Art. 13. To see if the town will vote to allow discounts, and if so how much, on all taxes assessed in 1941, that are paid on or before dates or dates to be fixed by the town under this article. (Finance Committee recommends no discounts be allowed)

Art. 14. To see if the town will vote to charge and collect interest on all unpaid taxes assessed in 1941, after a date to be fixed by the town under this article, and if so how much. (Finance Committee recommends 6% after September 1, 1941)

Art. 15. To see if the town will vote to fix a date when real estate, personal and poll taxes shall be made payable. (Finance Committee recommends poll taxes May 1, 1941, real estate and personal property, September 1, 1941)

Art. 16. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to procure a temporary loan or loans in anticipation of taxes for the purposes of paying indebtedness of the town. Such notes to be paid during the current municipal year out of money raised during the current municipal year by taxes. (Recommended by Finance Committee)

Art. 17. To see if the town will vote to appoint ten members to serve as a budget committee, and pass all necessary votes respecting the same.

The Selectmen give notice that they will be in session at the Town office for the purpose of revising and correcting the list of voters on Saturday, March 1, A. D. 1941, from ten to twelve o'clock noon.

Given under our hands at said Norridgewock on this twenty-first day of February, A. D. 1941.

HELENA B. AMES

IRA N. KNOWLEN

ARTHUR J. ROBINSON

Selectmen of Norridgewock

A true copy attest:

FRED WHEELER

Constable, Town of Norridgewock

PRESERVE THIS REPORT

A sufficient number of these reports have been printed to furnish every interested citizen with a copy. An effort has been made to get them into the hands of the voters in advance. It should be borne in mind that if copies are left at home there may not be a sufficient number at the hall to go around on town meeting day. This year or any year it is desirable for you to have a copy of the annual report as soon as issued. It is also important for you to preserve it and bring it with you town meeting day morning.

Annual Reports

of the Municipal Officers of

Norridgewock

Maine



Year Ending February 1st

1942

NORRIDGEWOCK

Five miles S. W. of Skowhegan. First settled in 1773. Name derived from the famous Indian chief, Norridgewog, which signifies smooth water. Incorporated the 54th town, June 18, 1788. Population 1940, 1511.

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TOWN OFFICERS

Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor

HELENA B. AMES

IRA N. KNOWLEN

ARTHUR J. ROBINSON

Town Manager

BERNAL B. ALLEN

Town Clerk

HELENA B. AMES

Treasurer

GEORGE O. CARR

Fire Chief

WALLACE SHEAFF

Health Officer

DR. W. F. SCULLY

Road Commissioner

BERNAL B. ALLEN

Collector

BERNAL B. ALLEN

Auditor

STATE DEPT. OF AUDIT

School Committee

ELSIE D. STANLEY

MARJORIE WILDER

MAURICE KNOWLEN

Superintendent of Schools

KERMIT S. NICKERSON

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SUMMARY OF OVERDRAFT AND UNEXPENDED BALANCES

	Overdraft	Unexpended
Excise tax 1941		\$ 1,147.07
Excise tax 1942		680.63
General Expense		2,024.90
Fire Department	\$ 1,031.41	
Street lights		9.64
Summer roads	38.59	
Winter roads		598.02
State Aid maintenance	204.30	
Unimproved roads	59.78	
Special resolve	22.24	
Town poor		1,301.33
Aid to dependent children		37.67
Committed children	16.15	
Monument Square		1.90
Memorial Day		10.00
Cemeteries		22.25
Abatements		197.34
Interest		639.37
Net unexpended balance to net debt	5,297.65	
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	\$ 6,670.12	\$ 6,670.12

TOWN OF NORRIDGEWOCK
COMPARATIVE FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Assets		Feb. 1, 1941	Feb. 1, 1942
Cash	\$	4,022.38	\$ 9,267.39
Food Stamps			400.00
Taxes, 1940		72.03	72.03
1939		103.43	37.84
1938		558.20	138.41
1937		108.86	59.14
1936		37.18	18.98
1935		66.30	
1934		238.09	166.64

Tax Liens, 1941		3,046.59
1940	6,782.79	2,130.30
1939	3014.19	
Town property	2,664.19	7,416.27
Accounts Receivable:		
State, Poor	195.16	58.68
Snow	1,074.31	368.79
Bounty	1.75	
Town of Merrill	26.00	
R. E. Everett	40.00	
Third Class Maintenance	248.91	
State Aid Construction		455.81
Cemetery Funds on Deposit	1,573.34	1,573.34
Mary Sawtelle Williams Fund	174.64	174.64
Net Debt	24,486.54	17,594.39
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	\$45,488.29	\$42,979.24

Liabilities

	Feb. 1, 1941	Feb. 1, 1942
Cemetery trust funds on deposit	\$ 1,573.34	\$ 1,573.34
Library funds on deposit	174.64	174.64
Old age assistance	480.95	
Refunding bonds	33,000.00	32,000.00
Temporary loans	9,875.36	
Cemetery trust funds		7,505.00
Mary Sawtelle Williams fund		825.36
Capt. Hall library fund		500.00
Unexpended library account		60.93
Unexpended school account	46.44	10.63
Unexpended special school account	4.16	2.25
Unexpended school water account		116.54
Unexpended Town Manager account	333.40	210.55
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	\$45,488.29	\$42,979.24

Important Notice

All taxpayers should read the following requirement and comply with it:

Section 7, Chapter 13, Revised Statutes of Maine, 1930:

"Before making an assessment, the assessors shall give reasonable notice in writing to the Inhabitants, by posting notifications in some public place in the Town, or shall notify them, in such other ways as the Town, at its Annual Meeting directs, to make and bring in to them true and perfect lists of their Polls: and all their estates, real and personal, not by law exempt from taxation, of which they were possessed on the first day of April of the same year. If any resident owner, after such notice, does not bring in such lists, he is thereby barred of his right to make application to the Assessors or the County Commissioners for any abatement of his taxes, unless he offers such list with his application and satisfies them that he was unable to offer it at the time appointed."

The Selectmen will be in session at the Town Office, Norridgewock, on the first day of April, 1942, from 9 o'clock A. M. to 5 o'clock P. M.

Selectmen's Report

TOWN APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1941

Town officers	\$ 400.00
Town manager	2,500.00
Town expense	1,200.00
Abatements	500.00
Fire department	1,100.00
Street lights	600.00
Summer roads	2,000.00
Winter roads	1,500.00
Third class maintenance	985.00
State aid maintenance	1,091.40
State aid construction	799.50
Streets and sidewalks	200.00
Cutting bushes	400.00
Plowing State highway	531.20
Town poor	2,500.00
Committed children	150.00
Aid to dependent children	200.00
Schools	12,100.00
School water account	1,000.00
Library	400.00
Cemeteries	100.00
Monument square	15.00
Memorial Day	25.00
Interest	1,400.00
Debt Reduction	2,000.00
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Total town tax	\$33,697.10
State tax	4,952.07
County tax	1,092.02
Overlay	1,743.33
School district tax	1,257.50
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Total taxes assessed	\$42,742.02

VALUATION AND ASSESSMENT 1941

	Resident	Non-Resident	Total
Real estate	\$434,385.00	\$156,080.00	\$590,465.00
Personal estate	55,966.00	4,585.00	60,551.00
Totals	\$490,351.00	\$160,665.00	\$651,016.00
Value of land		258,095.00	
Value of buildings		335,950.00	
			\$590,465.00

TAXABLE LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY

Horses	147	\$11,640.00
Colts, 3 to 4 years old	5	325.00
Colts, 2 to 3 years old	2	150.00
Colts, under 2 years	1	50.00
Cows	615	15,300.00
Oxen	23	500.00
Three year olds	94	2,200.00
Two year olds	232	4,520.00
Sheep (over 35 in number)	58	290.00
Poultry (over 50 in number)	3920	2,921.00
		\$37,896.00

OTHER PERSONAL PROPERTY

Stock in trade		\$17,275.00
Portable mills (includes gas engines)		200.00
Lumber		1,700.00
Gasoline pumps & attachments	14	1,600.00
Radios	207	1,670.00
Tractors	1	10.00
Machinery and equipment		200.00
		\$22,655.00
Taxable livestock		37,896.00
		\$60,551.00

EXEMPT LIVESTOCK

Yearlings	269	\$3,705.00	
Sheep (to 35 in number)	99	485.00	
Swine (to 10 in number)	60	605.00	
Poultry (to 50 in number)	2601	2,047.00	
		<hr/>	\$6,842.00

COMMITMENT

Valuation x rate—\$651,016.00 x .064	\$41,665.02	
359 polls at \$3.00	1,077.00	
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Total Commitment	\$42,742.02	
Supplemental taxes	275.94	
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Total charge to collector		\$43,017.96

COLLECTOR'S REPORT

1941

Cash paid to treasurer	\$40,668.71	
Tax liens	3,046.59	
Abatements	302.66	
	<hr/>	\$43,017.96

EXCISE

Paid to treasurer (1941)	\$1,147.07	
Paid to treasurer (1942)	680.63	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,817.70

COLLECTION OF BACK TAXES

Year	Balance		Collected	Balance
	Feb. 1, 1941			
1934	\$ 238.09	\$ 71.45		\$ 166.64
1935	66.30	66.30		
1936	37.18	18.20		18.98
1937	108.86	49.72		59.14
1938	558.20	419.79		138.41
1939	103.43	65.59		37.84
1940	72.03			72.03
Totals	\$1,184.09	\$ 691.05		\$ 493.04

COLLECTION OF TAX LIENS

Year	Balance		Collected	Balance
	Feb. 1, 1941			
1939	\$3,014.19	\$3,014.19		
1940	6,782.79	4,652.49		\$2,130.30
	\$9,796.98	\$7,666.68		\$2,130.30

ABATEMENTS

Receipts

Appropriation	\$ 500.00
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Expenditures

A. M. Percival, part payment on dam	\$ 146.36
Lillian Green, error in assessment	6.40
Harry J. McLaughlin, error in assessment	16.80
Maurice Tripp, error in assessment	22.12
Heirs of H. S. Withee, error in assessment	7.68
Warren Seekins, fire	52.74
Elmer Gerow, Spanish War Veteran	24.96
Selden Adams, Spanish War Veteran	25.60
Unexpended to summary	197.34
	\$ 500.00

TAX LIENS

1941

James T. Abbott	\$ 58.24
Lewis Adams	64.00
Charles Barney	19.20
Olive Bigelow	52.32
Florence Bird	121.60
Amos Buzzell	25.39
Clifton Buzzell	20.48
Heirs of Onesime Buotte	9.60
Etta Crosby	48.00
William Clayton	76.80
George Dickenson	56.10
Lyman Dunlap	102.40
E. P. Emmons	50.79
*A. B. Everett	140.80
Hattie Fentiman	115.20
Linwood Frederick	28.18
James Goodrich	17.67
Heirs of William Haynes	5.53
*Harry Heald	21.35
Georgia Hilton	73.60
Walter Jones	369.45
Lindley Lambert	211.20
Byron & John Lloyd	142.99
Cora Miner	70.40
George Murray	25.45
Phillip Obert	33.31
Louis Philbrick	76.80
*Wilfred Pouliot	25.56
Percy and Ina Quimby	49.28
Donald Sawyer	21.81
*Frederick & Ethelyn Smith	63.82
Emery Soule	29.24
Clarence Tompkins	77.44
Frank Turcotte	110.72
Russell Walker	25.60
Ashley Wing	68.47
Ralph & Harry Yeaton	157.32
Martha Jane Adams	7.04
T. E. Christopher	126.72
Cecil Fletcher	14.08
William Kenney	32.00
Effie Luce	14.08

W. D. Lewis	78.40
Marshall Micue	46.40
Omar Boulier	1.92
L. G. Trafton	14.08
*Rollin Strong	3.52
Herbert York	42.24

\$3,046.59

*Paid after books closed.

1940 LIENS

Lewis Adams	\$ 59.09
Martha Adams	67.38
Olive Bigelow	58.44
Amos Buzzell	24.24
Clifton Buzzell	23.12
Heirs of Onesime Buotte	11.55
Etta Crosby	57.75
Lyman Dunlap	123.20
Depot Street Service Station	88.55
E. P. Emmons	74.85
*A. B. Everett	58.06
Perley Goodwin	48.50
Joshua Hilton	40.15
Ralph Hilton	126.60
Merritt Holt	13.86
Arthur Hooper	31.57
Walter Jones	198.14
Dan & Cassie McLaughlin	40.99
Cora Miner	74.27
George Murray	42.35
Louis Philbrick	92.40
Percy and Ina Quimby	51.72
Lilla Rogers	92.02
George and Carolyn Smith	30.80
Russell Walker	30.80
*Wilfred Pouliot	16.90
Ostie Wilder	75.85
William Kenney	38.50
T. E. Christopher	152.46

Federal Land Bank	28.40
Federal Land Bank	91.25
Marshall Micue	55.83
Verna Viola Sidell	16.94
L. G. Trafton	16.94
Herbert York	80.58
Martha Jane Adams	8.47
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	\$2,130.30

*Paid after books closed.

UNCOLLECTED TAXES

	1940	1939	1938	1937	1936	1934
Heirs of						
F. W. Spaulding	\$72.03					\$ 70.50
Damase Chouinard		\$ 3.00				
Leroy Grant		3.00				
Donald Otis		.36				
Gilbert Ryer		29.58	\$ 36.30	\$17.52		13.72
Billy Sargent		1.90				
Millard Devoll			4.67	4.42		
Wilhelm Frederick			39.96			
Oscar Libby			3.33	1.93		
Linwood Patten			3.00			
Etta Crosby			10.99			
Ora Mitchell			2.00	1.77		
Robert Smith			8.90			
Clayton Tompkins			27.97			
Charles Sidell			1.29			
Lloyd Libby				23.91	\$18.98	
Howard Thurston				9.59		
Roland Everett						27.18
Roland Everett						
(Arthur Frederick)						30.84
Fred Ellis						3.00
William Libby						12.72
Cony Loring						3.00
Arthur Stoodley						5.68
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	\$72.03	\$37.84	\$138.41	\$59.14	\$18.98	\$166.64

TOWN OWNED PROPERTY

Shoe Factory Building
 Robie Albee property
 Charles Barney property
 M. E. Beal Heirs property
 George Booth property
 Elmer Carl property
 Damase Chouinard property
 J. B. Davis Heirs property
 Orland Dudley property
 Fred Dunlap Heirs property
 Florence & Fred Gibbs property
 Norris Laney property
 Laforme & Merrow property
 Glen Nickerson property
 Ed. Keyes property
 Sam Perry property
 O. C. Taylor property
 John Wescott property
 Evelyn Wheeler property
 Joseph Vantrisco property
 Christine Vallier property
 Earl Stevens property

GENERAL EXPENSE

Receipts

Appropriation	\$1,200.00	
Bank Stock tax	59.46	
Railroad & Telegraph tax	75.28	
Overlay in assessing	1,743.33	
Lien costs and miscellaneous	813.28	
Supplemental tax	275.84	
		<hr/> \$4,167.19

Expenditures

Marks Printing House, supplies	\$ 71.30
Depositors Trust Co., supplies	10.45
Clerk hire	508.00

Folsom Insurance agency	68.40
Ames & Ames, miscellaneous	151.15
M. M. Brown, surplus commodities	74.84
State Treasurer, institutional care	58.85
Central Me. Power Co., lights	14.00
New Sharon & Norr. Tel. Co., telephone ..	56.60
Independent Reporter, supplies	143.23
B. B. Allen, postage & supplies	106.27
B. B. Allen, travel expense	16.50
E. A. Hilton, supplies	4.30
Geo. W. Merrill, supplies	10.35
Ideal Print Shop, supplies	23.90
Shirley Tuttle, ballot clerk	6.00
Alice Knowlen, ballot clerk	6.00
Marita Courtney, ballot clerk	6.00
Virginia Hussey, ballot clerk	6.00
Leland Merrill, election expense	5.00
Fred Wheeler, election expense	17.50
George O. Carr, supplies	35.89
Town of Norridgewock, supplies	51.02
Eunice Courtney, supplies	4.98
Harry Burgess, supplies	1.80
C. F. Grant, miscellaneous	10.00
Thomas Courtney, miscellaneous	16.00
Clifford York, miscellaneous	3.39
Jasper Crommett, miscellaneous	1.23
Smith, White & Stanley, miscellaneous ...	96.60
Flora Caouette, miscellaneous	109.91
Haines Drug Store, supplies	3.90
D. A. & W. E. Porter, miscellaneous	40.00
Robert Corson, miscellaneous	5.80
W. P. McKenney, miscellaneous	5.00
Maine Fire Works Specialty Co.	8.75
State Treasurer, miscellaneous	97.60
Leon Witham, miscellaneous	32.45
H. P. Daggett, miscellaneous	17.00
A. A. Kirkwood, miscellaneous	1.39
Miller & Jones, supplies	29.66
U. S. Automobile Guide Co., supplies	4.05
Fred L. Tower, supplies	6.00
Maine Municipal Assoc., miscellaneous	35.00
Harry Fall, miscellaneous	9.55
Ralph Moody, supplies	20.88
Western Union, supplies	1.33

Smith & Clark, miscellaneous	22.30	
Transco Envelope Co., supplies	5.50	
George Harlow, miscellaneous	29.16	
Frank Hinkley, miscellaneous	14.06	
Nations Business, miscellaneous	7.50	
Ray Burrill, supplies .....	.18	
The Macmillan Co., supplies	4.95	
Webb-Smith Printing, supplies	6.18	
Federal Trust Co., miscellaneous	10.00	
Secretary of State, miscellaneous	5.00	
Percy Gilbert, miscellaneous	2.25	
L. F. Norris, miscellaneous75	
Charles Garland, miscellaneous	20.64	
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	\$2,142.29	
Unexpended to summary	2,024.90	
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TOWN OFFICERS

Receipts

Appropriation	\$400.00
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Expenditures

Helena Ames, town clerk	10.00	
Helena Ames, selectman	89.33	
Ira Knowlen	89.34	
Arthur Robinson	89.33	
George Carr	50.00	
Elsie Stan'ey	24.00	
Marjorie Wilder	24.00	
Maurice Knowlen	24.00	
	<hr/>	\$400.00

TOWN MANAGER

Receipts

1940 balance	\$ 333.40	
Appropriation	2,500.00	
	<hr/>	\$2,833.40

Expenditures

B. B. Allen	\$2,622.85	
Unexpended to statement	210.55	
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STREET LIGHTS

Receipts

Appropriation	\$600.00
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Expenditures

Central Maine Power Co.	\$590.36	
Unexpended to summary	9.64	
	<hr/>	\$600.00

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Receipts

Appropriation	\$1,100.00	
Town of Mercer	49.00	
Town of Fairfield	175.00	
Town of Smithfield	204.00	
Overdraft to summary	1,031.41	
	<hr/>	\$2,559.41

Expenditures

Fire Chief	\$ 100.00	
Janitor	42.80	
Lights	67.75	
Telephone	82.25	
Supplies	687.37	
Forest fire	1,163.12	
Labor	490.12	
	<hr/>	\$2,559.41

SUMMER ROADS

Receipts

Appropriation	\$2,000.00	
Town of Mercer	9.31	
State Treasurer	2.19	
Town of New Portland	100.00	
Town of Norridgewock	3.00	
Lyman French75	
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	\$2,115.25	
Overdraft to summary	38.59	
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		\$2,153.84

Expenditures

Labor	\$ 878.95	
Trucks	682.41	
Materials	549.88	
Team	42.60	
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		\$2,153.84

THIRD CLASS MAINTENANCE

Receipts

Appropriation	\$ 657.00
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Expenditures

Overdraft 1940	\$ 248.91	
Trucks	102.07	
Labor	63.74	
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	\$ 414.72	
Transferred to State Aid Construction	242.28	
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		\$ 657.00

PLOWING STATE HIGHWAY

Receipts

Appropriation	\$ 531.20
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Expenditures

State Treasurer	\$ 531.20
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STATE AID MAINTENANCE

Receipts

Appropriation	\$1,091.40	
Overdraft to summary	204.30	
		<hr/> \$1,295.70

Expenditures

State Treasurer	\$1,295.70
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STATE AID CONSTRUCTION

Receipts

Appropriation	\$ 799.50	
State Treasurer	3,681.87	
Transferred from 3rd class maintenance ...	242.28	
Due from State	455.81	
		<hr/> \$5,179.46

Expenditures

Trucks	\$2,982.67	
Labor	838.62	
Team	48.20	
Materials	1,150.97	
Town of Skowhegan, shovel	159.00	
		<hr/> \$5,179.46

CUTTING BUSHES

Receipts

Appropriation	\$ 400.00
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Expenditures

Labor	\$ 400.00
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STREETS AND SIDEWALKS

Receipts

Appropriation	\$ 200.00
3rd Class maintenance	328.00
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	\$ 528.00

Expenditures

Labor	\$ 190.86
Trucks	88.74
Materials	248.40
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	\$ 528.00

UNIMPROVED ROADS

Receipts

State Treasurer	\$ 801.45
Overdraft to summary	59.78
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	\$ 861.23

Expenditures

Labor	\$ 354.02
Trucks	483.21
Team	24.00
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	\$ 861.23

SPECIAL RESOLVE

Receipts

State Treasurer	\$ 677.00	
Overdraft to summary	22.24	
	<hr/>	\$ 699.24

Expenditures

Labor	\$ 275.51	
Trucks	321.13	
Team	69.60	
Town of Skowhegan, shovel	33.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 699.24

WINTER ROADS

Receipts

Appropriation	\$1,500.00	
State Treasurer	345.96	
Due from State	368.79	
	<hr/>	\$2,214.75

Expenditures

Snow fence	\$ 179.23	
Sanding	208.02	
Plowing	834.41	
Repairs (labor)	35.57	
Supplies	359.50	
	<hr/>	\$1,616.73
Unexpended to summary	598.02	
	<hr/>	\$2,214.75

TOWN POOR

Receipts

Appropriation	\$2,500.00	
Town of Merrill	9.00	
State Treasurer (Marjorie Gilman account)	444.07	
	<hr/>	\$2,953.07

Expenditures

	Medical Care	Fuel and Rent	Food and Board	Total
Andrew Tracy	\$ 16.75		\$ 31.81	\$ 48.56
Uldrich Leavitt	37.82		167.50	205.32
Irene James			236.99	236.99
Chas. Woodcock	444.08		53.50	497.58
David Murray			38.99	38.99
Onesime Buotte	21.25		357.00	378.25
Agnes Crowe		\$18.25	6.99	25.24
Albertine Brown			31.82	31.82
G. W. Tuttle			63.49	63.49
L. Chouinard	25.00			25.00
Veterans			40.00	40.00
Tramps			10.50	10.50
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	\$ 544.90	\$18.25	\$1,083.59	\$1,651.74
Unexpended to summary				1,301.33
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				\$2,953.07

STATE POOR

	Total Expended	Received from State	Balance Due
Jennie Legassie	\$ 35.00	\$ 35.00	
Alfred Smith children ..	54.00	54.00	
Norman Worth	37.50	37.50	
Orville D. Hall	20.00	20.00	
Henry Benjamin	260.64	253.76	\$ 1.88
Charles Morrison	161.77	153.97	2.80
Rosa Wambolt	160.96	160.96	
Frank Parker	35.00	35.00	
Elizabeth Nickerson	461.15	423.15	38.00
Mills Chase	25.00	9.00	16.00
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	\$1,251.02	\$1,192.34	\$58.68

POOR OF OTHER TOWNS

	Total Expended	Total Received	
Marguerite Gardner	\$ 9.00	\$ 9.00	Town of Merrill
Helen Dunton	119.06	119.06	Town of Bingham
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	\$128.06	\$128.06	

AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN

Receipts

Appropriation	\$ 200.00
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Expenditures

Paid to State Treasurer	\$ 162.33
Unexpended to summary	37.67
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	\$ 200.00

COMMITTED CHILDREN

Receipts

Appropriation	\$ 150.00
Overdraft to summary	16.15
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	\$ 166.15

Expenditures

Paid to State Treasurer	\$ 166.15
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OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

Receipts

Balance from 1940	\$ 480.95
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Expenditures

Paid to State Treasurer	\$ 480.95
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LIBRARY

Receipts

Appropriation	\$ 400.00	
State Treasurer	30.00	
Fines	6.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 436.00

Expenditures

Librarian	\$ 130.00	
Insurance	37.50	
Janitor	42.52	
Lights and fuel	35.25	
Books	101.07	
Repairs	28.73	
	<hr/>	\$ 375.07
Unexpended to statement	60.93	
	<hr/>	\$ 436.00

INTEREST

Receipts

Appropriation	\$1,400.00	
Interest collected	817.67	
	<hr/>	\$2,217.67

Expenditures

Federal Trust Company	\$1,162.14	
First National Bank	20.00	
Depositors Trust Co.	114.40	
Herbert York (refund)	5.85	
Sawtelle Williams Fund (Schools)	20.63	
Cemeteries, Perpetual care	255.28	
	<hr/>	\$1,578.30
Unexpended to summary	639.37	
	<hr/>	\$2,217.67

CEMETERIES

Receipts

Appropriation	\$ 100.00
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Expenditures

George Holt	\$ 1.52	
Thomas Courtney	43.17	
Eugene Haskell	22.80	
Guy Rogers	10.26	
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	\$ 77.75	
Unexpended to summary	22.25	
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		\$ 100.00

MEMORIAL DAY

Receipts

Appropriation	\$ 25.00
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Expenditures

Norridgewock School Department	\$ 15.00	
Unexpended to summary	10.00	
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		\$ 25.00

MONUMENT SQUARE

Receipts

Appropriation	\$ 15.00
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Expenditures

H. C. Hussey	\$ 7.10	
George Harlow (fertilizer)	6.00	
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	\$ 13.10	
Unexpended to summary	1.90	
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		\$ 15.00

STATE TAX

Receipts

Appropriation	\$4,592.07
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Expenditures

State Treasurer	\$4,592.07
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COUNTY TAX

Receipts

Appropriation	\$1,092.02
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Expenditures

County Treasurer	\$1,092.02
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DOG TAX

Receipts

Helena B. Ames	\$ 167.90	
State Treasurer	276.53	
	<hr/>	\$ 444.43

Expenditures

State Treasurer	\$ 167.90	
Transferred to General Expense	276.53	
	<hr/>	\$ 444.43

Report of Treasurer

Cash on hand February 1, 1941 ..	\$4,022.38
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Receipts

Taxes:

Property and poll — current	
year	\$39,978.79
Property and poll—prior years	638.80
Tax liens	7,409.76
Town owned property	1,557.44
Excise tax—1941	1,147.07
Excise tax—1942	680.63

Total from taxes	\$51,412.49
Dog licenses	167.90

Departmental receipts:

Administration	\$ 948.02
Accounts Receivable	1,336.73
Highways	5,621.53
Fire Department	428.00
Library	36.00
Charities	2,606.09
Education	5,154.89
School Water Account	500.00

Total departmental receipts .	\$16,631.26
Cemetery trust funds	750.00

Interest:

On taxes	\$ 817.67
On trust funds	23.68

Total from interest	\$ 841.35
Municipal indebtedness	\$13,450.00

Total receipts	\$83,253.00
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Total available	\$87,275.38
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Total warrants paid	78,007.99
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Cash balance February 1, 1942 ..	\$ 9,267.39
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RECONCILIATION OF TREASURER'S CASH BALANCE

Feb. 1, 1942

Check book balance	\$9,267.39	
Outstanding checks	348.95	
	<hr/>	\$9,616.34
Bank balance		\$9,616.34

Cemetery Report

Cemetery Funds Borrowed by the Town of Norridgewock
at 4% Interest

Name	Amount	Balance Feb. 1, 1941	Interest	Expended	Balance Feb. 1, 1942
E. J. Holway	\$100.00	\$100.97	\$4.00	\$4.00	\$100.97
Horatio Page	100.00	102.96	4.00	3.00	103.96
Fred Lawton	100.00	100.00	4.00	4.00	100.00
George Lunt	100.00	100.00	4.00	4.00	100.00
Heirs of Geo. Boston	100.00	100.00	4.00	4.00	100.00
Herod R. Burrill	100.00	100.00	4.00	4.00	100.00
H. K. Sawyer	100.00	109.41	4.00	4.00	109.41
Coney Russell	100.00	100.97	4.00	4.00	100.97
Brown & Leavitt	100.00	139.00	4.00	4.00	139.00
Burgess & Brennen	100.00	113.91	4.00	4.00	113.91
Henry T. Whiting	155.00	187.24	7.50	34.00	160.74
Sophia Hall	100.00	101.73	4.00	4.00	101.73
J. F. Woodsum	100.00	100.00	4.00	4.00	100.00
Mary Spaulding	100.00	132.24	4.00	4.00	132.24
Hawley Emerson	100.00	104.39	4.00	4.00	104.39
Lindsey & Townsend	100.00	115.14	4.00	4.00	115.14
Gillis, L. & Townsend	100.00	101.39	4.00	4.00	101.39
Dr. Lewellyn Brown	200.00	264.21	8.00	14.50	257.71
George Withee	100.00	105.63	4.00		109.63
Chas. B. & John Barker..	100.00	100.00	4.00	4.00	100.00
William Spaulding	100.00	107.23	4.00	4.00	107.23
Heber Wheeler	100.00	104.31	4.00		108.31
Lovina Merrifield	100.00	126.26	4.00	4.00	126.26
John Whiting	100.00	132.13	4.00	4.00	132.13
Wyatt Huff	200.00	300.65	12.00	16.00	296.65
Turner Buswell	100.00	115.34	4.00	3.00	116.34
Martha J. Hathaway	200.00	248.86	8.00	4.50	252.36
Levi & Mary Moore	75.00	81.50	3.00		84.50
Clark & Bates	75.00	107.66	3.00	3.00	107.66
Levi Powers	50.00	51.06	2.00	2.00	51.06
William Hobbs	50.00	50.00	2.00		52.00

Name	Amount	Balance Feb. 1, 1941	Interest	Expended	Balance Feb. 1, 1942
Millard Taylor	50.00	50.00	2.00	2.00	50.00
Wallace Taylor	50.00	50.00	2.00	2.00	50.00
Albert Hussey	50.00	50.00	2.00	2.00	50.00
W. H. Sawtelle	50.00	52.67	2.00	2.00	52.67
John & Docas Clark	50.00	51.66	2.00	2.00	51.66
Soloman Bates	50.00	51.91	2.00	2.00	51.91
John C. Page	50.00	52.66	2.00	2.00	52.66
Clark & Bates	50.00	52.00	2.00	3.00	51.00
Martha Albee	50.00	51.06	2.00	2.00	51.06
Henry T. Choate	50.00	56.32	2.00	2.00	56.32
J. & Levi O. Savage	100.00	105.40	4.00	4.00	105.40
Clarence Stevens	50.00	51.40	2.00	2.00	51.40
Frank S. Wade	50.00	55.41	2.00	2.00	55.41
George E. Bailey	50.00	51.40	2.00	2.00	51.40
H. W. Jenkins	50.00	51.40	2.00		53.40
William B. Longley & Har- rison Whiting	50.00	60.51	2.00	2.00	60.51
Burgess & Brennen	50.00	52.00	2.00	2.00	52.00
William B. Longley	50.00	51.50	2.00	2.00	51.50
Brown & Leavitt	50.00	51.00	2.00		53.00
Piper & John Gould	50.00	51.06	2.00	2.00	51.06
Benjamin Clure	50.00	54.47	2.00	2.00	54.47
Vesta A. Fuller	50.00	50.50	2.00		52.50
Lauriston S. Lowe	50.00	51.30	2.00		53.30
Hiram Butler	50.00	51.30	2.00	2.00	51.30

Cemetery Trust Funds Borrowed by the Town of Norridgewock
at 2½% Interest

B. W. Smith	\$100.00	\$105.00	\$2.50	\$1.25	\$106.25
Ella F. Penney	100.00	100.50	2.50		103.00
Henry Walker	200.00	204.50	5.00	6.50	103.50
Norman I. Austin	100.00	101.00	2.50		103.50
Henry Murphy	100.00	102.00	2.50	1.00	103.50
Benjamin J. French	200.00	201.00	5.00	5.00	201.00
Lizzie Jones	100.00	101.00	2.50	2.50	101.00
Sara A. Frederic	100.00	101.00	2.50		103.50

Name	Amount	Balance Feb. 1, 1941	Interest	Expended	Balance Feb. 1, 1942
Albin A. Cheviot	50.00	50.00	1.25	1.25	50.00
H. D. & A. L. Burgess	50.00	50.00	1.25	1.25	50.00
T. J. Hogan	50.00	50.00	1.25	1.25	50.00
Joseph Cripps	150.00	153.00	3.75	3.75	153.00
Walter MacIntire	50.00	50.00	1.25	1.25	50.00
Ernest W. Gilman	50.00	50.00	1.25	1.25	50.00
Henry Murphy	50.00	50.00	1.25	1.25	50.00
Mabel Wright	50.00	50.00	1.25	1.25	50.00
R. M. Baker	100.00	103.00	2.50	2.50	103.00
I. M. & A. P. Sawtelle	100.00	100.00	2.50	2.50	100.00
Joseph M. Smith	50.00	51.25	1.25		51.25
Fields & Kennison	100.00	100.50	2.50	2.00	101.00
Orrin Eldridge	100.00	102.50	2.50	5.00	100.00
Dr. Robbins	100.00	102.50	2.50	2.50	102.50
Andrew B. Cole	50.00	50.00	1.25	1.25	50.00
C. F. Pike	100.00	100.00	2.50		102.50
Mussetta Hale Jewett	100.00		1.25		101.25
Edward F. Danforth	500.00		3.00		503.00
Almon Blaisdell	100.00		1.00		101.00
Etta Crosby	50.00				50.00

Cemetery Trust Funds Deposited
Depositors Trust Co.
Madison, Maine

Book No.	Name	Amount	Interest	Expended	Balance Feb. 1, 1942
1846—	Calvin Hall	\$ 75.00	\$1.63	\$1.61	\$75.02
1847—	Isaac Powers	50.00	1.08	1.06	50.02
1848—	Althea Haskell	50.00	1.08		51.08
1849—	Frank Fuller	50.00	1.08	1.07	50.01
1850—	Charles M. Lovejoy .	75.00	1.63		76.63
1851—	W. A. Taylor	36.93	.79	.70	37.02
1853—	E. A. Hilton	55.55	1.20	1.00	55.75

Book No.	Name	Amount	Interest	Expended	Balance Feb. 1, 1942
1854—	Alvin Huff	75.57	1.64	1.64	75.57
1855—	Harry Briggs	58.12	1.26	1.26	58.12
1856—	Albion Morse	73.80	1.59	1.59	73.80
1858—	Mabel Wright	37.03	.80		37.83
1859—	Henry A. George ...	17.88	.38	.38	17.88
1860—	Plummer H. Butler .	36.34	.78	.70	36.42
1861—	Mary L. Gordon	35.96	.77	.69	36.04
1862—	C. J. Savage	35.81	.77	.69	36.04
1864—	Luther H. Allen	73.87	1.59	1.42	74.04
1865—	Martha & Chas. Rus- sell	74.27	1.61	1.42	74.46
1866—	Charles Russell	74.27	1.61	1.42	74.46
1867—	Edward E. Barker ..	73.89	1.59	1.42	74.06
1869—	Jenette Johnson	37.49	.80	.72	37.57

NORRIDGEWOCK SCHOOL DISTRICT

Receipts

Balance on hand March 1, 1941	\$	5.00	
Town of Norridgewock raised at town meet- ing March 1, 1941		1,257.50	
		<hr/>	\$1,262.50

Expenditures

George G. Averill, prin. on bond	\$1,000.00	
George G. Averill, interest on bond	157.50	
John McIntire, interest on bond	90.00	
Frank L. Ames, treasurer's bond	10.00	
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	\$1,257.50	
Balance on hand	5.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,262.50

BUDGET FOR YEAR ENDING FEB. 1, 1943

George G. Averill, Prin. on bond due June	
1, 1942	\$1,000.00
George G. Averill, interest on \$3000 for six months	
at $4\frac{1}{2}\%$	67.50
George G. Averill, interest on \$2000 for six months	
at $4\frac{1}{2}\%$	45.00
John McIntire, interest on \$2000 for one year at $4\frac{1}{2}\%$	90.00
Frank L. Ames, Treas. bond	10.00
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	\$1,212.50

Report of Norridgewock High School Principal

To the Superintendent of Schools:

As principal of Norridgewock High School, I submit the following report concerning the school and its activities:

The enrollment at the beginning of the school year was as follows:

	Boys	Girls	Total
Seniors	11	15	26
Juniors	12	15	27
Sophomores	12	14	26
Freshmen	14	16	30
Eighth Grade	8	11	19
Seventh Grade	17	21	38
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This year there have been several changes in the faculty. Miss Charlotte White, graduate from the University of Maine succeeded Miss Rice as teacher of English, French and Latin. Miss Phyllis Knapp, also from the University of Maine succeeded Miss Umphrey in the Home Economics Department. Miss Witha Jardine, a Colby graduate replaced Mrs. Spaulding as teacher of the Social Studies when the latter resigned in October. Mr. Charles Grant, a graduate of Washington State Normal School and graduate student of the University of Maine, is our new head of the manual training department. Mr. Theodore Foster, director of physical education, and myself are the only members from last year's teaching staff.

The school is operating on a seven period rotating schedule which allows five one-hour recitations to be held daily. This program also provides for a half-hour activity period each day. This period is used for assemblies, class meetings, clubs or other outside activities.

The following extra-curricular activities which promote mental, social and character development have been continued with much success. Mr. Foster has formed a Varsity Club whose purpose is to stimulate the participation of as many pupils as possible in our physical development program, and also to promote the interests of letter winners in major sports. Miss Knapp is continuing the program of the Home Economics Club which will include some actual interior decorating and helpful sewing projects in the school. Mr. Yeaton's Dramatic Club is sponsoring a helpful program of interest to those taking part in dramatics. Mr. Grant has organized a small class of girls in a special manual training group which will learn how to use tools and make small household projects. Miss White has formed a dancing class for those who didn't know how to dance. This group meets once each week and receives instructions in dancing and the proper social etiquette that should be practiced at dances. The student council has been actively engaged in planning and operating activities which are helpful to the student body. The interest in the welfare of the school has been definitely improved as a result of the council's action. The safety patrol has been faithfully continuing its fine work of safe-guarding the pupils at the cross-walks.

Miss Newton is now teaching music in all of the grades. She has also formed a small orchestra which is proving to be very helpful to its members.

Mr. James Baraket is the new band leader. He is at the school one day each week giving instrumental instruction and rehearsing with the entire band.

Mr. Foster is doing fine work with the various athletic teams which represent the school. The present girls' basketball team is unquestionably one of the finest in the state this year.

Miss White is now organizing the Junior Prize Speaking Contest which will be held early in April. The winner of this contest will compete in the Lydia Spear Speaking Contest. Other outstanding speakers will take part in contests at the University of Maine.

Miss Knapp, with the assistance of Mrs. Webster has been serving hot lunches to the pupils desiring them. There have been an average of eighty pupils taking advantage of this hot-

lunch program. The price of these lunches is only two cents; or the equivalent value in tickets is given for any food that may be brought for these lunches.

Several boys under Mr. Grant's supervision have been making several very definite improvements at the school. The largest and most important project has been the building, sheathing and wiring of a "sick" room which has been badly needed.

The installation of the drinking fountains has been a most appreciated improvement.

The teachers and pupils are cooperating in every way possible to help the civilian defense program. Of special interest in this connection is the regular "stamp day" program during which the response in buying defense savings stamps has been very satisfactory.

Mr. Leland Merrill should be complimented for his faithful and efficient service as janitor at the school.

In behalf of the school, I wish to thank the townspeople for their loyal support of the various school activities.

Respectfully submitted,

WALTER M. GAY,

Principal of Norridgewock High School.

Superintendent of Schools Report

To the Superintending School Committee and Citizens of Norridgewock:

I herewith submit a report of the condition and progress of the schools for the fiscal year ending February 1, 1942.

This report includes a statement of the receipts and expenditures in the various accounts, the budget estimates for the coming year and matters of general importance.

INSTRUCTION. The turnover in the teaching staff has been high during the year. Three new teachers in the elementary grades and four in the high school were employed when schools opened in September. This represents a turnover of fifty per cent and is too high for maximum efficiency. Increasing difficulty has been experienced, in securing teachers due to the Selective Service, defense activities and low salary schedule. Greater difficulty is to be expected in the future unless we are able to advance the salary scale so that we may retain the services of desirable teachers.

The greatest single improvement in the school organization has been the establishment of a Sub-Primary grade for beginning pupils. Pupils are allowed to advance as fast as possible and then promoted to the first grade. In the past, the work of the first grade has been too difficult for many pupils and consequently they have not been ready for promotion to the second grade. The new program should allow more time in each grade and afford a better background for higher grade work.

ENROLLMENT. The total enrollment of 402 pupils for the school year ending June 30, 1941, was approximately the same as for the previous year. There has been, however, a substantial increase in the elementary grades since September, with the largest increase in the first year group. The enrollment is nearly at the maximum for the building and any further increases will be difficult to accommodate.

CONVEYANCE. The conveyance facilities have been greatly improved by the purchase of a used bus for Route No. 2. This bus has a larger seating capacity than the one replaced and allows the route to be made in one trip rather than two, which is a distinct advantage for the pupils conveyed. The bus on Route No. 3 is old and should be replaced, but owing to the difficulties of financing and securing such equipment, no definite plans have been made for such a change.

DEFENSE ACTIVITIES. The pupils and teachers in your schools have been active in many phases of defense activity. Schools are an integral part of our social organization and the young people desire to have a part in these important matters which are so vital to our safety and welfare. The demands on the schools have been heavy but have been met with a willing spirit. Some of the defense work in which pupils and teachers are actively engaged include the sale of Defense Saving Stamps, courses in Diet and Nutrition in the Home Economics field, instruction in First Aid in the Physical Education department, and the construction of model airplanes for the Army and Navy by the Manual Training department.

BUILDINGS. For the first time in several years we have been able to do some repair work on the interior of the Consolidated Building. The large high school room and one classroom were cleaned and painted, which has greatly improved the appearance and atmosphere of these rooms. We hope to continue the work with other rooms during the coming year. The sixth grade building is in poor condition and should be shingled, painted and otherwise repaired at the earliest opportunity.

WATER. One of the greatest needs of the schools was met during the year by securing an adequate supply of drinking water. By vote of the town at a special meeting it was decided to drill a well on the school grounds. This was done during the summer and the pumping equipment installed and is now in operation. The water has been tested and approved for drinking purposes by the State Department of Health. The State Department of Education contributed \$500 in Special Equalization Aid to this project.

BUDGET. The budget for the coming year has been carefully prepared after an analysis of the accounts and the needs for the coming year. An increase of \$1200 is recommended for the

School Fund Account and \$300 for Special Accounts. These increases are made necessary on account of decreased revenues from the state and tuition, and increased costs in nearly all lines. The State School Fund has been decreasing each year and a decrease of approximately \$400 is expected in tuition. During the past year it has been necessary to increase salaries in some cases in order to fill the positions. The budget has been estimated conservatively and represents the actual needs for the next fiscal year.

In closing this report, I wish to express my appreciation to the School Committee, Town Manager, and school employees for their splendid cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,

KERMIT S. NICKERSON,

Superintendent of Schools.

School Report

STATE SCHOOL FUND ACCOUNT

Receipts

Town appropriation	\$10,000.00
Balance, 1940-41	46.44
State school funds	2,470.65
Tuition received:	
Town of Sidney	52.80
Town of Smithfield	554.70
Town of Mercer	554.70
State Department of Health and Welfare	230.72
Interest, Mary Sawtelle Williams Fund ..	20.63
Sale of supplies	66.07
Arthur Robinson, fire extinguisher	7.00
Refund, Pioneer Manufacturing Company ..	3.00
Refund, Mrs. Ray Burrill	3.00
Refund	4.92
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Total receipts	\$14,014.63

Expenditures

High school teachers:

Walter Gay	\$ 1,544.72
Helen Spaulding	456.87
Helen Rice	403.75
Norman Dickinson	42.00
Florence Carr	44.00
Elsie Newton	40.00
Charlotte White	422.98
Witha Jardine	330.54
Theodore Foster	100.28
Phyllis Knapp	47.22
Charles Grant	63.33
Town of Oakland, clerk hire	34.00
Maine Teachers' Retirement Association	127.50
Maine Teachers' Association (dues de- ducted from salaries)	7.00
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	\$ 3,664.19

Common school teachers:

Mary Corson	\$ 242.25
Lucille Clark	240.00
Harriet Chamberlain	513.47
Gwendolyn Bailey	544.00
Donald Yeaton	561.00
Marguerite Kelley	242.25
Rosamond Stanhope	3.00
Mrs. Ray Burrill	3.00
Arlene Curtis	297.20
Ruth Kimball	268.00
Valerie Loveitt	73.00
Phyllis Barstow	213.80
Mrs. George Dickinson	9.00
Elsie Newton	82.00
Jamil Baraket	14.00
Maine Teachers' Retirement Association	92.06
Maine Teachers' Association (dues deducted from salaries)	12.00
	<hr/> \$ 3,410.03

Conveyance:

Ansel Clark	\$ 1,478.00
Arthur Robinson	827.00
Lyndon Hale	150.00
Wallace Sheaff	330.00
Irving Moody	250.00
Payson Rogers	40.00
Harold Allard	40.00
Farrington Charles	180.00
Norridgewock Motor Company	45.15
Winslow Insurance Company	50.17
U. E. Stanley	277.38
Shell Oil Company	56.66
Socony-Vacuum Oil Company, Inc.	119.85
Southwest Harbor Motor Company ..	650.00
Robert H. Corson	8.00
Folsom's Insurance Agency	57.60
	<hr/> \$ 4,559.81

Janitor:

Leland Merrill	\$ 750.00
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Fuel:

Miles F. Carpenter Coal Company	\$ 264.11
Carl Rogers	60.00
Town of Norridgewock	24.00
Leland Merrill	15.00
Lyman L. Dunlap	8.00
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	\$ 371.11
Board of pupils	16.00
Textbooks	270.97
Supplies	961.89
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Total expenditures	\$14,004.00
Balance	10.63
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	\$14,014.63

ACCOUNTS FOR SPECIAL PURPOSES

Receipts

Town appropriation	\$ 2,100.00
Balance, 1940-41	4.16
State subsidy, industrial	933.33
State subsidy, physical	274.00
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	\$ 3,311.49

Expenditures

Repairs:

E. A. Hilton Company	\$ 4.10
Central Maine Power Company50
W. D. Sargent	68.77
Donald Everett	1.05
Wallace Sheaff	1.75

William Soule	1.75	
Norridgewock Motor Company	2.62	
Harry Barney	1.55	
Cuthbert C. Clark	125.00	
Oscar Lockwood	4.50	
Beckley-Cardy Company	26.15	
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Insurance:

Folsom's Insurance Agency	\$ 242.70
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Industrial:

Carroll Rich	\$ 425.00	
Avis Umphrey	401.41	
Phyllis Knapp	371.04	
Charles Grant	443.31	
Anna Morse	4.00	
Maine Teachers' Association (dues de- ducted from salaries)	4.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,648.76

Physical:

Theodore Foster	\$ 670.93	
Maine Teachers' Retirement Associa- tion	38.89	
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Medical inspection:

Dr. H. W. Smith	\$ 50.00
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Superintendence:

Kermit S. Nickerson	\$ 410.22	
Arthur Robinson	5.00	
Ira Knowlen	5.00	
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		\$ 420.22
Total expenditures		<hr/>
		\$ 3,309.24
Balance		2.25
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		\$ 3,311.49

SCHOOLHOUSE WATER SUPPLY ACCOUNT

Receipts

Town appropriation	\$ 1,000.00	
State of Maine special equalization fund ..	500.00	
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Total receipts		\$ 1,500.00

Expenditures

Getchell and Goodwin	\$ 932.00	
Miller and Jones	448.46	
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Total expenditures		\$ 1,380.46
Balance		119.54
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		\$ 1,500.00

Town Clerk's Report

BIRTHS

1940

Dec. 27—Leo Joseph Redmond

1941

Jan. 30—David Isrial Obert
Feb. 2—Lanry Kempton Pamphey
Mar. 3—Edward Charles Barney
Mar. 3—Rose Anna Gilman
Mar. 5—Kenneth George Goodridge
Mar. 5—Leroy Lee Jones
Mar. 29—Marylee Dorothy Goodridge
May 15—Cynthia Annette Worthley
Apr. 19—Brenda Jane Moody
Apr. 30—Richard Thomas Murray
May 6—Carroll John Stevens
July 8—Marie Rose Wing
July 26—Sandra, Elaine Crowe
July 27—Wayne C. Stevens
Aug. 12—Harold Weymouth Taylor
Aug. 22—Joyce Marie Macklin
Sept. 2—Richard Ernest Blaisdell
Sept. 8—Constance Masie Shusta
Sept. 11—Garland Anthony Hunt
Sept. 20—Michael Thomas Emmons
Sept. 20—Caroline Lilla Adams
Sept. 23—Duane Harry Ricker
Sept. 28—Paul Dana Grant
Oct. 4—Raymond John Stevens
Oct. 6—Caroline May Green
Oct. 20—Carroll H. Tuttle
Oct. 29—Roberta Jean Baker
Dec. 9—Bruce Gilbert Bishop
Nov. 11—Joan Ruth Wing
Nov. 11—Norris Earl Murray
Dec. 27—George Ernest Worthley

1942

Feb. 4—Sandra Lee Rogers

DEATHS

1940

Dec. 29—Lucy Musette Jewett

1941

Jan. 2—Florence A. Goodwin

Jan. 22—Edward F. Danforth

Jan. 29—Ida M. Locke

Feb. 2—Joshua Hilton

Feb. 28—William C. Young

Mar. 15—Fred G. Campbell

Apr. 6—Florence M. Brown

Apr. 12—Lillian Brooks

Apr. 12—Vesta M. Miller

Apr. 29—Ida E. Ham

May 21—Lydia Alma Longley

June 22—Addie M. Knowlen

June 25—Gerald Devereux

July 9—Clarence H. Tompkins

July 9—Marion E. Sawyer

July 24—Clara J. Stevens

July 26—Nellie M. Taylor

Aug. 12—Harold W. Taylor

Oct. 4—Frances H. Lawton

Oct. 8—Myrtie F. Heath

Nov. 6—Ann M. Lewis

Nov. 6—Lynn C. Stevens

Dec. 6—Fred H. Burrill

Dec. 13—Esther C. Fuller

1942

Jan. 3—Sadie Quimby

MARRIAGES

1941

Mar. 22—Carroll Howard Rich
Jean M. NobleApr. 12—Harold S. Emmons
Eleanor E. DanforthApr. 13—Hatton W. Nesbit
Hildred D. Easley

- May 17—Irving W. Green
Marguerite J. Jones
- June 17—Herbert E. Carpenter
Laura B. Owens
- June 21—Clifford D. McFadzen
Catherine V. Sheilds
- Juns 22—Herbert A. Stevens
Mary J. Reese
- June 26—Howard C. Nason
Florence E. Jordan
- June 27—Harold L. Bean
Edith M. Ames
- June 30—Clifford Widgren, Jr.
Arlene A. Baker
- July 26—Gilbert W. Bishop
Faustina June Lewis
- Aug. 9—Lawrence G. Gilman
Mabel A. Conroy
- Aug. 22—Maurice V. Kelley
Nellie M. Newell
- Sept. 1—Kenneth L. Young
Jesm Weston
- Nov. 1—Robert James Crommett
Helen Norma Dunton
- Nov. 13—Melvin M. Carrigan
Agnes L. Vining
- Nov. 16—Arthur Hawes
Ferne Doe
- Dec. 6—Norris A. Preble
Minnie B. Damren
- Dec. 16—Robert Taylor
Glenna M. L. Tracy
- Dec. 21—Herchel E. Blaisdell
Pary A. Prosser
- Dec. 21—Earl A. Knowlton
Phyllis P. McQuilkin

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- Jan. 8—George S. Davis
Leona R. Holmes
- Feb. 7—Maurice Lane
Lona I. Stevens
- Feb. 13—Charles L. Quimby
Muriel H. Ayotte

Warrant for Annual Town Meeting

To: Fred Wheeler, Constable for the town of Norridgewock,
in the County of Somerset. GREETINGS:

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Norridgewock, qualified to vote in town affairs, to meet in the Town Hall, in said town on Monday, the second day of March, A. D. 1942 at nine o'clock in the forenoon to elect all town officers and to transact all other town business as herein enumerated in the articles of the town warrant. For the election of officers the polls will be open immediately after the election of a moderator and remain open until two o'clock in the afternoon. The transaction of other town business will begin at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Art. 1—To choose a moderator to preside in said meeting.

Art. 2—To examine and act on the reports of the town officers.

Art. 3—To see if the town will vote to authorize its Selectmen to employ a Town Manager in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 130 of the Public Laws of 1939 of the State of Maine and authorize the Selectmen to fix the compensation of such manager not to exceed the sum of \$3,000 per year. (Recommended by Finance Committee.)

Art. 4—To see if the town will vote to raise a sum not exceeding \$3,000.00 to pay for the services of a town manager. (Recommended by Finance Committee.)

Art. 5—To elect a Town Clerk, three Selectmen, Assessors of Taxes, Overseers of Poor, Treasurer and a member of the Superintending School Committee as provided in Chapter 5, Sections 38 to 52 inclusive of the Revised Statutes of Maine for the year 1930 and acts additional and amendatory thereto, provision for which was adopted by the town of Norridgewock at a special town meeting held on January 27, A. D. 1940. (Finance Committee recommends that the office of Treasurer be discontinued and the duties of Treasurer taken over by the Town Manager.)

Art. 6—To see if the town will vote to elect a Collector of Taxes, Fire Chief, Road Commissioner, Fire Warden, a member of the Library Committee and a member of the Cemetery Committee. (Finance Committee recommends that the Town Manager take over the duties of the Collector of Taxes, Road Commissioner and Fire Warden.)

Art. 7—To see how much the town will vote to raise for general school maintenance. (Committee recommends \$11,200.00.)

Art. 8—To see how much the town will vote to raise for each of the special purposes listed below: Recommendations of the school board and finance committee are as follows: medical inspection, \$50.00; insurance, \$157.20; industrial education, \$1,093.00; physical education, \$407.00; repairs, \$250.00; superintendence, \$461.52. Total recommended, \$2,400.00.

Art. 9—To see what sums of money the town will appropriate and raise for the ensuing year for the following purposes.

No. 1. Town expense account. (\$1,000.00 recommended)

No. 2. Street lights. (\$600.00 recommended)

- No. 3. Summer roads. (\$2,000.00 recommended)
- No. 4. Snow roads. (\$1,500.00 recommended)
- No. 5. Cutting bushes. (\$400.00 recommended)
- No. 6. Street and Sidewalks. (\$200.00 recommended)
- No. 7. Snow removal State highways. (\$531.20 recommended)
- No. 8. Third class maintenance. (\$657.00 recommended)
- No. 9. State Aid maintenance. (\$1,345.70 recommended)
- No. 10. Support of poor. (\$2,000.00 recommended)
- No. 11. Aid to Dependent Children. (\$520.00 recommended)
- No. 12. Committed Children. (\$165.00 recommended)
- No. 13. For support of Free Library. (\$400.00 recommended)
- No. 14. Care of cemeteries. (\$150.00 recommended)
- No. 15. For care of Monument Square. (\$15.00 recommended)
- No. 16. For observance of Memorial Day. (\$25.00 recommended)
- No. 17. For payment of interest. (\$1,000.00 recommended)
- No. 18. For Fire Department. (\$800.00 recommended)
- No. 19. Abatements. (\$300.00 recommended)
- No. 20. Salaries of Town Officers. (\$532.00 recommended)
- No. 21. Public Health Nurse. (\$100.00 recommended)

Art. 10—To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum for State Aid road construction (in addition to the amounts regularly raised for care of ways, highways and bridges) under the provisions of Section 19, Chapter 28, Revised Statutes of 1930, or under the provisions of Section 3, Chapter 229, Public Laws of 1937. (\$799.50 recommended)

Art. 11—To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen on behalf of the town to sell and dispose property acquired by tax-liens or mortgage deeds and abandoned schoolhouses. (Recommended by Finance Committee.)

Art. 12—To see if the town will vote to allow discounts, and if so how much, on all taxes assessed in 1942 that are paid on or before dates or dates to be fixed by the town under this article. (Finance committee recommends no discounts be allowed)

Art. 13—To see if the town will vote to charge and collect interest on all unpaid taxes assessed in 1942, at a date to be fixed by the town under this article, and if so how much. (Finance Committee recommends 6% after September 1, 1942.)

Art. 14—To see if the town will vote to fix a date when real estate, personal and poll taxes shall be made payable. (Finance Committee recommends poll taxes May 1, 1942, real estate and personal property, September 1, 1942.)

Art. 15—To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to procure a temporary loan or loans in anticipation of taxes for the purposes of paying indebtedness of the town. Such notes to be paid during the current municipal year out of money raised during the current municipal year by taxes. (Recommended by Finance Committee).

Art. 16—To see if the town will vote to appoint ten members to serve as a budget committee, and pass all necessary votes respecting the same.

Art. 17—To see if the town will vote to purchase the Percival Dam, so-called, on Osoola Stream and pay \$1,500.00 for same according to agreement made in July, 1941. (Recommended by Finance Committee and to be paid from surplus cash.)

Art. 18—To see what sums of money the town will appropriate from surplus cash for the following purposes:

No. 1. For debt reduction. (\$2,000.00 recommended)

No. 2. Refund Mary Sawtelle Williams Library Fund account. (\$825.36 recommended)

No. 3. Refund Captain Hall Library Fund. (\$500.00 recommended)

No. 4. Civilian Defense (\$300.00 recommended)

Art. 19—To see if the town will vote to sponsor the construction of an airport in conjunction with the Civil Aeronautics Administration and the State Defense Commission. The cost to the town to be one-half the cost of the land and appropriate from surplus cash \$4,000.00 for payment of same. (Recommended by Finance Committee.)

The Selectmen give notice that they will be in session at the Town office for the purpose of revising and correcting the list of voters on Saturday, February 28, A. D. 1942, from ten to twelve o'clock noon.

Given under our hands at said Norridgewock on this twenty-first day of February, A. D. 1942.

HELENA B. AMES

IRA N. KNOWLEN

ARTHUR J. ROBINSON

Selectmen of Norridgewock

A true copy attest:

FRED WHEELER

Constable, Town of Norridgewock

STATE OF MAINE

Norridgewock, Maine, Feb. 21, 1942

Somerset, ss:

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant to me directed I have this day notified and warned the inhabitants of the Town of Norridgewock qualified by law to vote in town affairs to meet at the Town Hall in Norridgewock on Monday the second day of March, A. D. 1942, at nine o'clock in the forenoon as therein specified by posting a true and attested copy of said warrant in two public and conspicuous places within said town, to wit: one at the Post Office in Norridgewock and one at the Town Hall in Norridgewock.

FRED WHEELER

Constable of the Town of Norridgewock

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PRESERVE THIS REPORT

A sufficient number of these reports have been printed to furnish every interested citizen with a copy. An effort has been made to get them into the hands of the voters in advance. It should be borne in mind that if copies are left at home there may not be a sufficient number at the hall to go around on town meeting day. This year or any year it is desirable for you to have a copy of the annual report as soon as issued. It is also important for you to preserve it and bring it with you town meeting day morning.





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